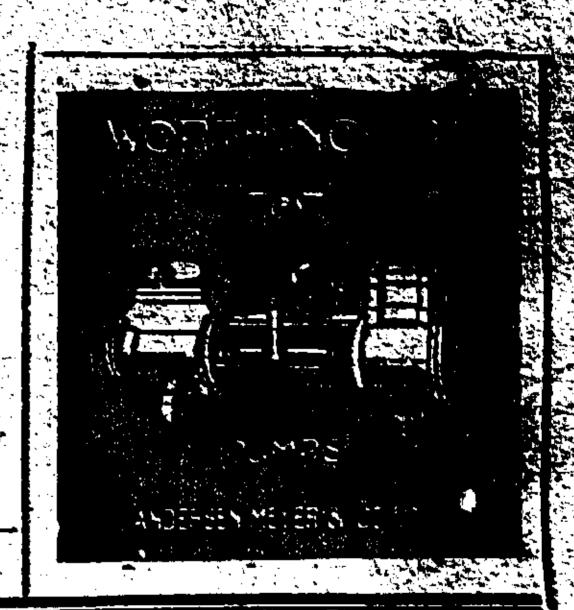


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CONFERENCE. WASHINGTON

INFORMAL SINO-JAPANESE DISCUSSION ON SHANTUNG.

Awaiting Tokyo's Views on Naval Question.

(Reuter's Service.)

Washington, December 5. While the formal session of the Conference has been suspended ing Mr. A. G. Rocha in whose out shortly before a qualter part until the 7th, inst., informal discussions between groups of delegates have continued, the most important being the Sino-Japanese conrereations in regard to Shantung.

No definite development in the naval negotiations is to be expected until the Japanese delegates receive the anticipated statement of views from their Government.

Draft of Quadruple Entente Under Consideration.

Washington, December 5. It is definitely and authoritatively learned that the draft of quadruple entente as a substitute for the Anglo-Japanese alliance is now being considered by the British, Japanese, American, and French either by auction or by private being used as stores, and Governments.

President Harding's Precautionary Message. The Washington newspapers report that President Harding, in the course of his annual Message to Congress, which reassembles on the 6th, inst., will state that should the Conference fail he estimates that the United States should spend over \$800,000,000 on the Army and the Navy for the year ending June 30, 1923. This is \$60,000,000 appearance of the typewriter and of one of the sides. When the

less than for the current year, but far above the pre-war appropristions. The message continues that the United States cannot greatly reduce its military and naval appropriations until all the Powers likewise agree. The revenue for 1923 is estimated at \$1,338,000,000 also told the compradore that he on the scene. All that now reand expenditure at \$3,505,000,000 including war debt of \$370,000; 900, the Navy \$432,000,000, and reduction of debt \$169,000,000.

SINN FEIN'S REPLY.

"A Reasoned Negative. Suggesting Certain Amendments.

London, December 5. The Sinn Fein reply to the Government's proposals cabled on the 2nd, inst. were handed to the Government yesterday. It described as a reasoned negative, suggesting certain ame idments

Negotiations have not been broken off but the outlook is grave. The King gave an audience to Mr. Lloyd George this morning and discu-sed at length the latest phase of the negotiations. A ful

meeting of the Cabinet was sursequently held. [The previous message stated: The Sinn Fein envoys are on the way to Dublin carrying the final draft of the Cabinet's proposals. which are understood to comprise probably Dominion status for th twenty-six countries in the south and west, Ulster to have the option to apply for inclusion in an All-Ireland Parliament later, allegiance on the lines of the Dominions within the Empire, a commission to he established to determine the political and religious frontiers of Tyrone and Fermanagh, with power to decide on a plebiscite.

Important Modifications.

Another meeting of the Anglo-Irish conference, lasting four and a half hours, was held to-day, when, it is understood, important presented an order for another ricksha. The typewriter was not deceased's career. modifications were made in the latest Government proposals, which press on account of the Univer- paid for but was ordered on the Sinn Feiners subsequently discussed privately.

MARKS STILL FLUCTUATING.

And Printing Press Still Operating. London, December 5.

German marks on London were quoted at 930. The Reichsbank's current note circulation amounts to M. 100. 944,000,000, the increase for the week amounting to M.4.480,000,000

International Monetory Conference Postponed. London, Pecember 5. The International Monetary Conference, which should have of the University on the 18th, second typewriter was referred to studying in Paris under Professor

opened in London to-day to consider means of rehabilitating currencies, has been indefinitely postponed owing to developments at Washington. Besides Dr. Rathenau, of Germany. American and Australian delegates are actually in London.

DEATH OF BRIGADIER-GENERAL PHILLIPS.

A.D.C. to Former-Governor of the Colony.

London, December 5. The death has occurred of Brigadier-General G. F. Phillips,

formerly Aide-de Camp to the Governor of Hongkong. Brigadier-General George Fraser Phillips, C.M.G., born 1863, joined the West Yorks in 1885 and in 1897 was appointed A.D.C. to the Governor of Hongkong (then Sir William Robinson). Subsequently he commanded the 2nd. Batt. West Yorks. In 1913 he l commanded the International force in the Balkans, and in 1914 he was with his battalion in France, afterwards filling several diplomatico-military offices.]

THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS LOAN.

Favourable Comment by the "Times."

London, December 5. Commenting upon the Straits Settlements loan, the Times emphasises the favourable financial position of the Straits and the Malay States Governments in recent years, and rays that the contraction of revenues during the past year was inevitable in consequence of the acute depression in the rubber and tin industries but this may be regarded merely as an incidental check, which will disappear as world trade revives.

INQUIRY INTO LOSS OF DUTCH STEAMER.

Alleged to Have Been Submarined by Germany.

The Hague, December 5. The International Commission of Inquiry into the loss of the Dutch steamer Tubantia, sunk in the North Sex on March 16, 1915 by, it is alleged, a German submarine opens in the Palace of Peace. privately on January 18.

DONATION FOR CHINESE STUDENTS IN FRANCE.

Paris, December 5. M. Gaston Menier has given F. 5,000 to relieve Chinese students in France who are distressed, especially owing to the collapse of the Banque Industrielle de Chine.

LOCAL FIRMS TRICKED.

Story of Many Frauds.

Hearing of the charge against a Singapore Chinese for obtaining this morning at the Military goods by false pretences from a Hospital, Kowloon, to investigate number of firms in the Colony and report on the fire which was resumed by Mr. J. R. Wood occurred in the matcheds belongthis morning.

stolen goods were placed, said 30th. Two matcheds were inthat the defendant came to volved and despite the efforts of to the compradore. Defendant they were unfit for occupaasked that the articles be sold tion by patients. They were

would bring along later to be of ashes. similarly disposed of. Lam Tsui Kan, salesman of Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, gave evidence with regard to the two copying presses mentioned in the charges. He said that on October 18th, at about noon defendant came to the shop and presented an order for a copying press (From Our Own Correspondent.) written on notepaper bearing the name of the Hongkong University. The signature "R. Stowell", attached to the order was not known to witness, but as the yesterday morning. After an Hongkong is indeed a difficult

University notepaper was used, he official reception he motored thought that it was a bong fide through the town and lunched at one and suggested to defendant the residency. He arrive at Sings. being identified with practically that he would send a coolie to pore to morrow. deliver the press at the University. Defendant observed that time and trouble would be saved by his taking away the press in a number he specified to defendant. doctor was a prominent figure in ricksha. This was accordingly He made the suggestion , of done, and witness heard nothing engaging a coolie of the firm to Hongkong has lost one of its most more of the transaction until eight deliver the machine but that was valued residents. The appended or ten days later, when defendant waived by defendant who said he is but an endeavour to place on again turned up at the shop and preferred to take it away in a record the main aspects of the sity. A chit written on the account of "Lugard Hall." Jordan, M.B., C.M. Ed., M.R.C.S. University notepaper was again; Hongkong University. Its value Eng., was born in India on produced. It bore the same was \$275, less 10 per February 6th. 1858. He was signature as the previous one, cent. discount. Several days later educated partly in . India but Witness referred defendant to defendant spoke to witness on mainly at Elinburgh University. Jordan's recommendation that Mr. Glover, Manager of Mesers, the telephone giving an order for graduating at the Edinburgh Kelly and Walsh, who accepted a second typewriter for the University in 1880 as Bachelor of

press to defendant. A Chinese salesman of Messrs. ; the order handed to him. Mustard and Company deposed The evidence of other witnesses.

COURT OF INQUIRY.

Kowloon Matshed Fire.

A Court of Inquiry was held ing to the Hospital on Nov. 30th.

auction rooms some of the six on the morning of Novembes Mr. Rocha immaculately dressed the Kowloon Fire Brigade and and bringing with him a type- military fire parties, they were writer and a copying press, and, soon reduced to ashes. Luckily as was usual in the case of the matsheds were not being used Chinese customers, he was referred for hospital wards at the time, as treaty. The press was eventually a number of Indians, who appear auctioned and the typewriter to have been asleep when the outby private treaty, break occurred, slept in one of Mr. D'Almada added that he them. According to an Indian might also mention that the who slept in one of the matshed. compradors had noticed the new the fire originated in the midd'e had questioned defendant who Indians awoke they immediately said that he had opened a firm set to work to save their personal three months ago, but that it had belongings. Then the alarm was tailed and he was selling out. He given and the fire fighters arrived had other furniture which he mains of the two sheds is a heap

EARLIER SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.

MARSHAL JOFFRE.

Singapore, Dec. 5 Marshal Joffre arrived at Ponang

requesting immediate delivery as After having been in private Speaking of his relations general-Mr. A. E. Glover, said that ac- it was wanted urgently, defendant practice at Home two years he cording to his day book two said. The man who was sent by was appointed Resident Surgeon kintosh said:presses were supplied on account defendant to take delivery of the of Dorset County Hospital, also and 26th. October, respectively, the Manager of the firm who read Chascot at the Salpetric, in

to being spoken to by defendant was taken and the case is bewith regard to the sale of ing continued this afternoon. a Remington typewriter on Messra. Lane Crawford. Sincera the 27th. October last and and Wing Un Companies are the delivering the machine whose other complainants in the case.

ARBUCKLE RETRIAL FIXED.

Women the Dissentient Jurors.

San Francisco, December 5. The two jurors who voted for the conviction of Arbuckle are both women. One refused to consider the evidence and declared at the opening of the deliberations that she would not change her opinion "until hell froze."

Arbuckle declares that the result is a moral acquittal. The retrial has been fixed for January 9.

WILHELM TO REMARRY.

Reported Engagement to Officer's Widow. Berlin, December 5.

The newspaper Zwoelfuhrblatt asserts that the ex-Kaiser has decided to remarry, and has chosen the widow of a Danzig officer killed in the war.

A RIINISH REPUBLIC.

Reported Resolution of Inhabitants. Paris, December 5.

A Mayence message states that a Congression including 534 delegates from all sections of the Rhinish population, met at Boon and passed a resolution in favour of the proclamation of independent, neutral Rhinish Republic.—Havas.

THE NEAR EASTERN QUESTION.

Anglo-French Conference this Week. -: Paris. December 5.

According to reports from various sources Lord Curson expected in Paris this week, when, according to Le Mulia he will have an opportunity to discuss with M. Briand joint policy as regards Turkey.—Havas.

OBITUARY.

Death of Dr. G. P. Jordan.

HONGKONG LOSES VALUED RESIDENT.

It is with the very deepeat Mr. Leo D'Almada, represent- It appears that the fire broke regret that we have to record the death of Dr. Gregory Paul Jordan. househousehic news of which was received in the Colony by Sir Paul Chaler this morning. The news will come as a painful shock to very many residents of the Colony by whom Dr. Jordan was not only admired and esteem-

ed but beloved. It was only in April last that Dr. Jordan left the Colony on holiday with the best wishes all. Owing to the heary work he had called upon to perform in connection with the University and his lown private practice he had experienced indifferent health for some time past, latterly becoming subject to heart attacks. On arriving in England be lived at 236 St. James' Court, Buckingham Gate, and had been on holiday to Harrogate. A letter received by Sir Paul Chater yesterday spoke of Dr. Jordan being in very much better health. but a telegram rece ved a day or two previously reported that the deceased had been taken with another heart attack and was seriously ill. The news received this morning came as great blow to Sir Paul, who is an uncle of the deceased." surmised that death was due to

heart failure. To write fully of Dr. Jordan's life and of his association with task, extending as that association does over thirty years and levery local activity. Of a kindly disposition and possessed of a desire to assist in whatever public or private way be could, the late all local circles and by his death the V c :- Chancellor he filled the

The late Dr. Gregory Paul the order and delivered the second "Education Department", and Medicine and Master of Surgery, position," said the Registrar. Vienna under Professor Albert and taking private study at Cambridge and St. Thomas's Hospital. London. In 1884 he was appointed a member of the Royal College of first came to Hongkong to commence private practice, later founding the present firm of Jordan, Forsyth, Grove and Aubrey. years' stay in the Colony he had been identified with public life in one form or another:

In 1886 he was appointed Acting Colonial Surgeon a of his administration," said occupy until last year when he retired—a period of 32 years. In private practice he was

beloved by all his patients but by none more than the . Chinese: Jordan's personality was such During the past two years he had found it increasingly difficult to attend to so many, but they seemed determined to have him and when he protested that he had not the time they subscribed and purchased a motor car to enable him to visit his patients more quickly. This remarkable tribute speaks more eloquently than words of the pisce the deceased Union built for them out of the occupied among those with whom he was brought into contact. His Work For Hongkong University.

In conjunction with Sir Patrick | devotion to the University." Manson and Sir James Cantlie, Dr. Jordan was one of the original founders of the Hongkong College of Medicine, on which institution of the most decument men in your

as a base the University has been local Masonic circles. He was founded, and of which latter, he first initiated at House in 1879 in was also ape of the original mem- | the Edinburgh St. Mary's Lodge. bers and founders. Dr. Jurdan No. 9, Scottish Constitution. On was Lecturer in Medicine of the coming to Hongkong he wined Hongkong College at Medicine; the Perseverance Lodge, of which and Lecturer and then Professor he was a Past Master. In 1903.

in obtaining the donations of the South China, which affice so held donors, the Hon. Mr. Ho Fook twee also District Grand Pp L. the Mr. Ho Kom Tong, and the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of late Mr. Chan Kai-Ming; and he Hongkong and South China and succeeded in obtaining over \$30,- I was also District Grand Warden 000 from personal irlends towards [of the District Grand Lodge of the furnishing of the Students' Hongkong, English Constitution. Union Building. The doctor was During his stay at Home he Pro-Vice-Chancellor from the intended to visit Scotland on date of foundation of University, and Acting Vice-I Constitution in Houskong and Chancellor from June 1918 to was to have attended an import-April of this year. He was ant Masonic ceremony on St. thoroughly identified with the Andrew's Day. life and work of the foundation. being a member of the Council of the University, of the Court of

the University, and of the Senate. In the words of Sir Paul Chater, the late Acting Vice-Chancellor was beloved by all the University students, and on occasion of the inauguration of Sir William Brunyate and the bestowal of the honorary degree of L.L.D. upon Prof. Jordan the students took possession of the latter's motor-car and dragged him to the Hongkong Club and the Hongkong Hotel amid every demonstration of enthusiasm.

The Registrar's Tribute.

Mr. N. Feesdale Mackintosh. the Registrar of the University. who had long worked in daily contact with Dr. Jordan, was ideeply affected when seen this morning, the loss coming as a personal bereavement. Only hy she mail just to he at he had received a Christmas greating

card from Dr. and Mrs. Jorlan. In his reminisce uses of his late Crief, Mr. Mackinto-h related how Dr. Jordan had been, the heart and soul of the University. He was Pro-Vice Chan ellor of the University from its foundation. and, though mayer intended as gap in that office for nearly three year-, a period of much strain active participation. . and stress. It was the time when the University was being subjectbebourded to much hostile and unfounded craticism. Mr. Mackintosh, was extensively engaged with Dr. I Jordan in connection with the

University Commission. "it was as the result of Dr. funds were granted to relieve the University from its embarrassed ly with the doctor, Mr. Mac-

"I shall never forget the great kindness I received from him. was most patient most coursteous-indeed was the most courteous man it was ever my lot to work with."

"When Dr. Jordan took over. the post of Acting Vice-Chancellor Surgeons. In 1885 the deceased at an emergency," proceeded the Registrar. "the University was practically bankrupt, and it was through his efforts that the foundation was standing on its exertions were very great and the -Page 5. strain undoubtedly aged him." "The most remarkable feature for all at Whiteaways-Page 3.

of Health, and in May. 1888, was | he kept in a state of tranquillity | Page 4. appointed Health Officer of the and contentment at a critical Motor Launch for Sale.—Page Port and Inspector of Emigrants, time, when student riots were 4 a position which he continued to rife in India and Egypt. There were grounds for disestisfaction | St. Andrew's Ball.-Page 4. on the part of the students, too, for at that time our equipment was very defective, but Dr. that all friction with the students was avoided. As a matter of fact, Des Voeux Road.-Page 4. a large proportion of the students had been brought into the world by the doctor when he was in private practice, and their attachment to him was uncommonly cordial. He was always seeking to do the most for the boys. His last act was to get the grant to the foundation. While the new medical buildings, for which he secured the funds, stand as a monument to his

As a Freemanon.

of Tropical Medicine in the be was appointed night Worthy

District Grand Master Scottish Dr. Jordan was instrumental Freemasonry, Hongkong and three Medical Schools from the up to the time of his death. He the special business for the Scottish

Other Activities.

Dr. Jordan was in charge of the Alice Memorial Hospital from the time of its formation till it was amalgamated with the Nethersole Hospital.

Whilst at Home in 1914 ha offered his services to the Secretary of State for war purposes but, on account of advancing years, his offer was declined. On returning to Hongkong he was, in 1915, enrolled as Surgeon Major of the Hongkong Police Reserve later being appointed Surgeon Superintendent. He continued to serve the Force in this capacity until the signing of the peace and the disbanding of the

Force in 1918. Dr. - Jordan held the unique position of being the senior Official Justice of the Peace in the Colony, his appointment dating back as far as October,

The deceased was an extremely keen supporter of the Hongkong Jockey Club and for a number of years had run his own stable under the style of "Mr. Medico." His colours were always popular and local racing circles will mourn the loss of an enthusiataic and true sportsman. He was interested in other local sports but his many duties prevented

It is interesting to recall that the late Dr. Jordan was presented to the Court of the late King Edward when he was Home in

The deepest sympathy will be felt with the widow, who is now at Home. There are no children.

News in To-day's New Advertisements.

"The Symbol of Sacr fice" is the No. L picture to-night at the and Kowloon Theatre-Page 12. Struthers and Dixon advise consignees of cargo of the arrival in port of the s.s. West Prospect

> -Page 4. The World Theatre is showing Alms, where Do you Live?" tonight-Page 12.

There will be a Concert in Kowloon to-morrow night—Page 4. The J. C. J. L. announce the Throughout the whole of his 36 legs when handed over to his arrival of the s.s. Oldekerk. successor. During that period his Consignees of cargo please note

Toyland and Christmas Gifts There will be a meeting of position which would now cor- Mr. Mackintosh, "was his in- creditors of the Rauroto Steamrespond to that of Medical Officer | fluence with the students, whom | ship Coy Ltd. on December 17-

Lost, an ivory and lace fan at Miss Dorothy Stobart of London will sing at the City Hall on December 15.—Page 4. Mesers. Arratoon V. Apcar & Co. have removed their office to

To-Day's Exchange.

The closing rate of the dollar on demand to-day was 2s. 75%d.

The Weather.

2 p.m. Barometer: 30.09 Tempersture: 70. Humidity: -51.

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The date De Jordan was one | Lighting up time to day 532

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What mighs be considered as public celebration in Hongkons the sixth centenary of the death the great Italian Catholic poet, Dante Alighierif took place at the Theatre Royal last night when a concert and lecture were promoted by the Catholia community. The happy thought. paying tribute to. Italy's greatest post was first inspired by Encyclical letter published by the Pope on the 80th April last and pupils of the Catholic Institutes throughout the world.

There was a large and distinguished audience amongst whom were H. E the Governor and Lady Stubbs, the Vice Chancellor of the Hongkong University and Lady Navy and many Consular representatives.

The theatre, particularly the stage, had been most artistically of the famous poet.

programme was aubmitted, the message, items being exceptionally well andience. The orchestra of the take. yours in EXCELLENT continued, the "Nightmares" CONDITION and NATURAL Lyric Orchestra, under the direc-"Cavalleria Rusticana" (Mascagni) Prof. F. Gonzales gave a wellrendered violin solo entitled

> A Timely Message. At the conclusion of the the field of practical politics. His Lordship Bishop Pozzoni, in introducing the lecturer, said: Your Excellency, Ladies and special mission to Rome to effect his Gentlemen: As Chairman of the overthrow and exile. representative of all sections of our hold in Tuscany. · His appeal of the Consular Body who enable

in large communities.

grace to practice the former and was abut out by the so-called new avoid the latter. Reading his poetry learning," the door was bolted an one learns never to despuir but to barred by the new religion upon the seek always after a better life and al nock of Catholic Christendom.

better world. Here is the message | But more | prejudicial still he left for all ages: Book peace and epaus it; seal peace through justice and despair not, se I have never despuired.

Burely that is a timely message or these days of stress, On you behalf, Ladies and Gentlemen. také this opportunity to express our thanks to all thuse who have so sceptics of the 16th century profess. kindly undertaken the variuos cd to be shocked at Dante's items on our programme. But stand between you and Mr de We are not now shocked at this Martin who is to address you. Re is better fitted than I to interpret for you the meaning, the spirit, the message of Dante. I now call upon Mr. de Martin, and in anticipation of your wishes thank him for: addressed to all the Professors and kindly preparing an address which I am sure we shall hear with pleasure and recall with delight

Mr. Chi P de Martin, who was received with applause, during the of his electure, which Brunyate, Officers of the Army and large audience with rapt attenthroughout, anid that would not, nt this time of day, be casy for anyone to add to the fame decorated with evergreens and of Dante, but on the other hand the flowers, red and white predomina. glory of the great Florentine was a historical document of remarkable ting, and presented a most pleasing such that it could not be dimmed by appearance. Prominently displayed imperfect appreciation either of the pictures, but the work of one wellin the background was a painting full purport of what he had to say to humanity or of the beauty of the very interesting musical medium in which he delivered his

Dante's Life.

rendered and all were received with with the chief events of Dante's life, Sociedade Philarmonica, conducted political state of Italy. He conby Professor F. Gonzales, opened sidered that the level of culture on the proceedings with a splendid the shores of the Mediterranean, selection, followed by a song, the Italian cities and especially "Cielo e Mar," Op. La Gioconda Florence had, until recent year i bren (Ponthielli), by Mr. E. G. considerably underestimated. The was beard to great effect. A suite Renaissance had for too long blindfor two pianos by Louis Aubert, ed men's eyes to the solid achieve"Minuet," "Berceuse" and ments of the Middle Ages. Of "Air de Ballet," finely interpreted by Miss Elfrids Osmund and Professor Danenberg, met Dante's boylood, though much had been written, little was truly known. with deserved recognition, after On reaching manhood he was enrollwhich His Lordship Bishop Poz ed in the Guild of Anothecaries: zoni introducted Mr. G. P. de not that he was either a doctor or Martin, M HE., B.A., who delivered a chemist, but the entry to publi OTHERS take your photos, but Dante. At the conclusion of the from membership of which no on by our 3" years experience we lecture the musical programme was had any civil status at all. The between the Florentine citizens and painting and kindred arts whose COMPIEXION instead of mere- tion of Rev. Fr. A. Riganti, offering the feudal baronics with which the achievements remain the standards city was at one time surrounder

In 1295 Dante entered public life. the present day. "Souvenir de Muscow" (Weiniaw-Although it was an unfortunate sky), at the conclusion of which the time what civil discord was more Orchestra of the Sociedade Philar- than usually prevalent in the nev monica played Wagner's Tann very harmonious political life Florence, it was unlikely that would ever have been successful in part of the programme, Prior in 1300, he made enemies who took advantage of his absence on

Committee, I have to thank you Dante found himself in strange for helping to make our Dante company among the Italian exiles. celebration a success by your There could not have been much presence here to-night. Having in sympathy between the poet and the view the reason for this gathering swashbuckling Ghibelline lord it is particuliarly gratifying to me among whom he found himself a to note how truly this audience a Arezzo, their only remaining strongare peculiarly grateful to His the Emperor Henry VII. to restore Excellency the Governor, the head peace among the organised anarchy of that community, whose presence of the Italian communities further shows that, in addition to his daily offended the Florentines who, with watchful concern for our material their long hatred of Imperial in well being, he shares also in our terference, would not be likely to literary and artistic interests. I look kindly upon one of their own cannot express my thanks indi- citizens who had appealed over their vidually to each section of the heads to their traditional enemy, community which is represented the emperor from the barbarous especially thank those members lands on the other side of the Alps.

Dante's Exile. us by their presence to produce. The lecturer proceeded briefly to altogether a fanciful idea that owing towards the kingdom of heaven. its part in the chorus, and, though that international sympathy which refer to the years of Dante's to the diversity of the appeal of Let us hope it is not too optim- literary and artistic interests did has been one of the most striking oxile, the tale of which, he thought, Dante's poetry, no two persons istic to read into the international not loom very large in Hongkong. lestures in this year's celebrations would never be completely told. It come away from reading it with unanimity of the sexcentenary life, the large audience which was in the last years when he reached quite the same idea of what they colebrations a tendency to look up assembled in the theatre showed An assembly such as this is the very zero of his worldly career have read. No one at the present with the poot rather than down that they were not wholly indifferindeed congruous with the occasion, that his soul soared to the zenith day would venture to say that he with the emperor, to reject the "Catholic" poet. He belongs to of its achievement. When all that quite understood all that Dante in gospol of greed and force and try all humanity just as his poetry has the world had to offer him was tended to convey. What Dante to realise something of the solia meserge for all time. He is the worthless he gave it in return trea- would have called the quidditas of darity of humanity." poet of Religion and of the sures of priceless value. It was in the Comedy must remain a secret In his concluding remarks Mr. The Celebration Committee under Destiny of man. With wonderful those years that, from the lowest to those who live in the these days. de Martin said he had not at the Chairmanship of Bishop Pozzoni allegories he has embodied in his depths, he produced the Divine But there were one or two features tempted to go very for below the was composed of the Presidents of poem Catholic Philosophy and Comedy. Dante died on September that loomed so large that they could surface of his subject; still less the Club Lusitano, Catholic Union, Divinity, as taught by his great 14, 1321, and was buried at Ravenna, not escape the observation of anyone amused his audience with the Recreip in the persons of Messral doctor. " clothing the regular the regular that regular the regular the regular that regular the regular than regular than regular than regular than regular the regular than r doctor," clothing the crude cd city. He had been banished by scientific phraseology of the list pride from the genial company "In the very first place, high ther, I think I should understand do Souss I respectively. C. F. brilliant poetry. In a stupendous of other men. This was not all above all, subject as well as if only you wouldn't explain." Lubatti and Chos Po Sieu. drams, in which the whole history The very words he wrote, the sovereign inspiration of the whole of the world is presented in its rethoughts he had conceived had yet is the undiluted dogma of the would dare to attempt a definition of the buried upread in an obligion Catholic Faith. And the standard to the would dare to attempt a definition of the world dare to attempt a defi lation to the order of Divine Pro to be buried unread in an oblivion Catholic Faith. And then there is tion of greatness, but we all ad- of Mesure. It Made of Mesure. vidence, he sets forth the Destiny of about 300 years. This neglect what is after all but the pro- mit that one note is never lacking Baptiste and H. M. Rozeria who of Man-the fallen man who is might be attributed partly to the fanc aspect of the same thing from the recognition of that showed great taste and priginality punished in Hell, the repenting lingulatic fastidiousness of the Dante's strong sense of the quality whatever intrinsically it in transforming the thestreet The singer who is purified in Pur. literation to the Italian Renaissance, defined wisdom as the possession by the people of other days and capable hands of Mr. J. D. Osmund who in their new-born zeal for the who in their new born zeal for the classical periods of Greece and Classical periods of Greece future generations, pointing out to matter was esentially mediaoval. all the sure means to obtain the Also if the poet of mediacvalism

stising from moral and spiritual chuses—was the movementaway from the supernatural towards mater alian which touched its lower depth in the latter that of the lath contury. Dante unlocks the secrots

of another world. The Police

rroverence. the locturer said, "but we shudder at the probation he had to undergo. He was granted no mercifully sudden vision on the road to Damascus, but bit terly, wearily he had to find his way back, to the pure promise of his youth. He had been ambitious to shine in the political life of his city -he became an outlaw. All his life ho was super-sensitive and was compelled for the greater part of it to live on what was little better than the alms of uncomprehending charity it not unmixed with contempt."

The Divine Comedy. The lecturer dealt at length with the Comedy-an epic poem, but also importance. It was a series of vivid versed in theology, though it contained an accurate record of the world's knowledge of the natural sciences in the age when it was . The lecturer dealt interestingly written. It was a quarry for the lover, the poet or the student. High marked appreciation by the large the age in which he lived and the above all brooded the cold spirit of Catholic dogma. It recorded an epoch in the life of what, in the opinion of the lecturer, was the most interesting community that had ever existed. It was the very nucleus of the most beautiful European langu-D'Aquino, whose fine tenor voice dazzling glitter of the Italian age of to-day-"the first words Italy had said." And not only had Dante garnered for us the gold of Italy and coined it into the language which was to some degree current in the cultivated circles of all civilised countries, but it had been the fountainhead of all that art and song which made Italy the fosterfatherland of every man or woman a most interesting lecture on life was by way of the guilds apart with any pretensions to literary or artistic taste. He deeply influenced not only the literature and poetry was a survival of the old struggle that came after him but even the

> "It is impossible," the lecturer proceeded, to attempt any consideration of Dante's poetry without reference to the time in which it was written, for in the Comedy the Middle Ages are—to quote Carlyle As -'rendered rhythmically visible,' their ideals and their philosophy lie. open before us, their faith, their weaknesses, their grandeur. The architecture and poetry of the time still hold their proud place. Its

and criteria of the artistic world at

of materialistic philosophy."

human society together are more elemental, and should, therefore, man that he is distinguished above.

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sublime philosophical treatise, once into discordant groups. This time. This year few places which vainly thought to be relegated same year of the Dante sexcen- can muster up any literary ento the dust heap is still tenary is the one hundredth since thusiasm at all have failed to the resource of thousands of the death of Napoleon. Napoleon contribute their share in the restudents in all parts of the world. was "as great as anyone can be cognition of one who, though. But if it had not been for Dante, the without virtue," but the world to- primarily an Italian, is now reintangible othes of the time would day is too war-tired to praise a garded by us all as a common have been lost for ever. Like some man who must for ever be iden- ornament of the human intellect. dedieval Noah he has stored for us tified with military exploits. He The Pope has called upon Cathothe ideals and aspirations of a whole will, of course, never disappear lies throughout the world to take civilisation; at the culminating from history, but does it not seem part in these literary demonstramoment of its vigour, and himself as if his name has been relegated tions. Italy, naturally, has been adrift upon the waters of neglect, to the pages of the world's records foremost in their promotion. But has carried them safely through and obliterated from the minds of from North to South, from East days when that civilisation and all men where there are still niches to West, in the new world as well that it had achieved and all that for: humbler, folk? The great as in the old, and even in the it stood for seemed likely to be tain looked down, down, upon the been celebrated by men and wooverwhelmed for ever by a deluge kingdoms of the earth and, the men of all creeds, and races." glory of them. Dante Alighieri, In its small way this little Mr. de Martin did not think it treading a lowlier path, looked up island community had centributed ent to such things. (Applause). The proceedings concluded with

story of the little girl who was A.F.B. Silva Netto, J.D. Comund.

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good attendance.

to the Articles of Association On the old course the second lar per annum. (Applause) Needless which were approved at an extra- and tenth greens have been relaid to say, we accepted the offer. amber 9th.

all the the members were ac-, condition by next season. quainted with the proposed alters- The drains at the seventh hole this connection. (Appause). firmation.

the motion was carried.

The Chairman's Speech.

ceeded with. will agree with me that we should Mr. Hill and Mr. Kerr have not congratulate ourselves on the re-mared themselves during the mast enormous amount of time and plause.) energy to the affairs of the Club The House and Building Sub- seconded they will be open to

reached such an alarming figure, venience to members. **********************************

maintenance at Fanling shows an planse). increase. This is due to the replacing of crockery, blankets, etc., and the installation of a new battery in the Club house. The cost of sanding the greens in September has been charged to the year under review although i could very properly be carried forward and charged to next year. written off. Entrance fees are not clause). now considered part of the profit but are shown as a separate item and paid into a special account with the Bank. Our thanks are due to Sir N. J. Stabb, Messrs. I N. Leefe, G. C. Moxon and G. S.

ed to the Club. (Applause). look after our interests in that tee considered all they could do was animously. particular Department. A new Sub-Committee has been formed; during the year—the Finance Committee-which, I think, will prove Committee who can always turn to fourth fairway. Ladies perhaps do Hancock seconded and the resoluconcerned.

The matter of rebuilding a suit- wet season. able club house at Fanling has been engaging the attention of the Building Sub-Committee. present building stands in our books at \$41,015.16. The opinion is that, apart from being too small to meet the wants of members, it order one for each tee. is in need of extensive repairs. sider that it would not be advis- with distance boards for each tee. opinion that, at the present rate of in every way possible. income and expenditure, we should

We feel much indebted to the Standard Oil Company of New ing to each member of the Club a matter, and we feel greatly indebted announced later as follows: book containing the revised Rules to him for the new arrangement. of Golf and local Rules and Byeaws. This has supplied a long! felt want and I trust that members portant change at Happy Valley. will help the management of the Club by acting in accordance with

the rules and regulations. should be made direct to the Con- have so kindly housed the Golf Club him in electing him Captain of confres, with the success you now

Fanling Courses. Golf Club was held last evening (Applause). The fairways imat the City Hall. There was a prove as years go on and the larity it entoyed in Fre-Fanling days. greens were never better than they Owing to the lack of support from

hill and J. B. Ross (Hon. Secre-sure he is delighted with the re- Jockey Club again came to our assult. Then we are using water sistance and offered to house us in Prior to the annual meeting an sprinklers which are so necessary the end block of the row of new extraordinary general meeting during the dry season and are stands at a nominal rent of one dol-

ordinary general meeting on Nov- and returned. It was found im- The present comfortable Club-

tions to the Articles of Association (The Bog) have been covered in and the reasons therefor, he did and, as the fairway is much imnot think it was necessary to do proved, there should be no more this point.

and the Sub-Committees and the Committees have been considering discussion. Treasurers have gone into things the comfort of members in the very thoroughly, and, under the Club-house, Slight alterations Sir William Rees Davies second-

and accounts payable now amount I should like to remark on how widely read. Into whatever part to \$22,495.93, made up of:-Bank much we appreciate the services of the world one went, one heard Overdraft, \$15,942.76; Accounts of Mr. and Mrs. Kerr. Those of of the great Golf Course at Fanpayable, \$5,553.17; as against last us who are in close touch with the ling. In possessing such a splenyear \$42.616.18, a reduction of management of the Club are struck did course the Club was greatly \$20,120,25. Under the heading of withthe manner in which Mr. Kerr indebted to the members of Com-Working Account it will be seen has our interests at heart. He has mittee for their hard work. (Apthat, owing to our growing mem-supervised the making of paddy plause). bership, subscriptions show an in- fields into the Golf Courses of The Report and Accounts were crease of over \$14,000 and the in- which we are so proud, and that, then adopted. come from green fees has been of course, in a great measure accounts for the personal pride he On the debit side of the account, takes in their conditions. (Ap-

> Deep Water Bay Course. improvements which have beer made, both on the Course and at

the Club-house. We are greatly indebted to Mr. Austin for the trouble he has taken over the building of the new ver-We will now turn to profit and loss andah. Those of us who have had a general meeting in two years account and you will observe that any experience of building on the time; but the fact that the annual the cost of the Fanling Water other side of the island can un- general meeting could not be held Works, which stood in our books derstand the many difficulties wit at \$8,530, has been completely which he had to contend. (Ap-

We have been fortunate in obtaining from the Government the necessary permission to allow the Electric Company to supply us wit power. I am sure the installation of proposed the resolution. Archbutt for Debentures present- electric light and fans has been greatly appreciated.

endeavoured to have, as Convener Course, there is no possibility of of each Sub-Committee, a member extension to prevent the present in this temporary extension. who had special qualifications to overcrowding, and the Sub-Committo make it as sale as possible. A few alterations have been effected, the chief of which has been removing of of great assistance to the General the undergrowth to the left of the that Committee for expert opinion not always find their tee shots lying on any matter in which finance is well at this hole, but it is hope to

> two "mat" tees have been introduced and have proved more or less golfer and one who had done a satisfactory. Il members desire it the incoming Committee might

The Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird has the building of a new Club-house, the Club, and has endeavoured to The Finance Committee are of meet the requirements of members applause.

There has always been great danbe in a position to do this in three ger on the roadway owing to cars stopping in front of the ninth green. The Captain-Superintendent York for publishing and present- Police has interested himself in the

"Happy Valley Course. The past year has seen a very im-Some months ago the Committee found themselves in a quandary, on being informed by our good friends, would remind members that, the Stewards of the Jockey Club, Mr. T. W. Hill, in thanking mem-there are now, supervising and in future, all complaints and sug-that the premises in which they berr for the honour they had done organising the laying out of the gestions of any kind whatsoever that the premises in which they berr for the honour they had done organising the laying out of the

vener of the Sub-Committee con- ever since the fire were required by them. This has, however, proved a blessing in disguise, and, if we could The condition of these Courses obtain more playing facilities from Annual General Meeting. reflects great credit of the Green the Recreation Grounds Committee, The annual General Meeting of Committee, the Hon. Ground Secrethern are some of us of opinion that members of the Royal Hongkong tary and the Superintendent.

Mr. E. J. Grist presided, and are now. This is due to the liberal members during the last few years, members of Committee with him use of sand so strongly advocated the Committee did not feel justified were: Messrs. T. W. Hill, A. B. by Mr. Forrest. "Sand, mair in considering the building of a Stewart, R. M. Smith, L. S. Green-sand" was his advice and I am Chub-house. The Stewards of the

possible to keep them in good con- house you have is evidence of the The Chairman remarked that as dition owing to the shallow nature energy of the Happy Valley Subthe meeting was fully reported in of the soil. This has been re-Committee. I would specially menthe press and he had no doubt medied and they should be in good tion the names of Mr. L. S. Greenhill and Mr. A. K. Henderson in

The Committee is pleased to hear that the only complaint made is that more than propose them for con- complaints of balls being lost at the accommodation is rather small. Mr. L. S. Greenhill seconded and As the fourteenth hole on the themselves, who should roll up in New Course was frequently un-their hundreds so that the erection playable owing to the proximity of a Chib-house of our own would be The business of the annual of a spring, a new green has been justified. If the Course continues general meeting was then pro-made on higher ground which to be as popular as it has been makes the approach shot a sport-during the past few months, that

sult of the year's working. The season and they must be proud of that the Report and Accounts for Hon. Secretary has devoted an the result of their efforts. (Ap- the year ended September 30th be

The Fame of Fanling.

system now in vogue, there can are being made which allow for ed the resolution. He remarked be little room for wastage or leak- greater space in the dinning room that the Club was to be congratuand make the bar more private. lated on the Report. A Report Our chief endeavour, during the A caddie master's house is being which showed a profit balance on past few years, has been to reduce built and will contain lockers. Working Account of \$33,000 must the Bank overdraft which had This should prove of great con- be regarded as highly satisfactory. Fanling was one of the Colony's You will notice the Bank overdraft While on the subject of Fanling, greatest assets; its fame was

> Extra Subscription to Be Continued.

The Chairman proposed a restlution continuing the additional subscription of \$2 a month for a am sure we have all notice the further period of three months. He mentioned that when this resolution was passed last year, after the finances of the Club had been carefully gone into, it was intended that the increased subscription should continue until the matter could be brought up again.at until after the expiry of the finan-| cial year and that the increased subscription would cease before it could be brought up for consideration was lost sight of." For this reason, and in view of the likelihood of the necessity of con-

Mr. Justice Compertz seconded. He thought that on the Chairman's During the past year we have Owing to the position of the explanation it was clearly "up to" members to support the Committee The resolution wass carried un-

tinuing the extra subscription, he

. Election of Officers. The Chairman said he had very

much pleasure in proposing Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen as President of the Club. (Applause). Mr. R. tion was carried.

On the suggestion of members said that Mr. Hill- was an old member of the Club, a keen . great deal of work for the Club. A better man for Captain could not be chosen. The resolution was the Club, said that all the time and see. Mr. Grist always believed in: carried.

and thanked him for his very He continued: "Members will were in incurring expenditure. able to add to or renovate the pre- The Committee has recognised great services during the past all regret, as much as the Com- without which we should not have sent building and recommended that this Course is a great asset to year. Mr. Greenhill seconded and mittee does, the retirement of Mr. anything approaching the magnithe resolution was, carried with Grist from the Committee, after ficient courses we now have; and,

There were seven spoiled papers. spent weeks on end at Fanling, Mr. Grist's Retirement. when there were not the comforts

Mr. T. W. Hill, in thanking mem- there are now, supervising and

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> energy he could spare would be looking ahead, and I think we all_ The Chairman then proposed devoted to furthering its interests now realise how far-sighted he-

almost uninterrupted service since moreover, not half the number of The names of Messrs. H. P. the inception of the Club. (Ap-members would have been able to Winrlow and P. Tester were added plause). Most of you know, but play over the course, which, even to the list of nominations for Commonly those on the Committee know now, are taxed to the fullestmittee, and the ballot was taken, fully, the extent of the services extent. Mr. Grist is already a Major Bugnall and Mr. C. Bulmer Mr. Grist has rendered to the life member of the Club and we Johnson acting as scrutineers. Club. Of its working before the cannot do him any further honour; The results of the election were opening of Fanling I have very but I hope you will show your little knowledge; but we all know appreciation in the usual manner Mr. A. B. Stewart, Mr. R. M. that Mr. Grist was one of the by a hearty round of applause. Smith, Mr. L. S. Greenhill, the pioneers of Fanling and has The meeting warmly responded. Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax, Mr. R. D. brought it through many difficul-Crawford Morgan, Mr. R. K. Hen- ties to its present happy position. the Chairmen returning thanks. derson, Mr. W. E. Roberts, Mr. F. In the early days he and others, Bevington and Mr. R. Hancock, including Mr. Hallifax, frequently

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THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER COMPANY, (1918) LIMITED

CORDIALLY INVITED.

THE THIRD ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the offices of the Company, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATUR-DAY, the 10th December, 1921, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the STRUTHERS & DIXON, INC. NOTICE IS HEREBYGIVEN General Managers for the year

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of Bulding, 3 Queen's Road Central, the Company will be closed from Hougkorg on Saturday the 17th THURSDAY, the 1st December 1:21, both days inclusive.

-SHEWAN TOMES & CO.

Honekong, 19th November, 1931.

LEAGUE OF FELLOWSHIP AND SERVICE.

A general Meeting of Members will be held in the City Hall, on Monday, the 12th December, & Exports, Hongkong, before 1921, at 5.15 p.m. for the purpose

of amending the Rules, if thought fit, as follows:-By amending Rule 2, so as to read'as follows:-

2. The objects for which the League is formed are :-(i) To promote good fellow-

ship and peace between al (ii) To promote good fell wship within the Colony, irrespective of race, class and creed. (ii) To promote matters

which shall be of service to the community. ky amending Rule 4 by the addition at the end thereof of the Consignees are requested to

word-:--Any person may become life Member by paying the sum of Fifty Dollars.

and also for the purpose of elect ing Officers and Committees for the ensuing year, and discussing the future programme of the League.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

THE Undersigned have received! instructions to sell by Public Auction on

Wednesday, the 7th Doc., 1921 commencing at 11 a.m. at their Sales Rooms, Duddell

Street A Selection of Fancy Goods Porcelsin, Glass and Bronze Figures, Inkstands, Vases, Powder boxes, Trays etc., etc.

Jewellery 6 Complete Sets Glass-ware Crystal Services On view from Tuesday the 6th

A Few pieces of Very Fine

December 1921. Terms: Cash on delivery LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneers.

THE Undersigned bave received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

Thursday the 8th Dec., 1921 commencing at 11 a.m. at their Sales Rooms, Duddell

Street A Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture comprising: Teak hatstand, sideboard, ward

robes, Blackwood curio cabinet and chair, carpets etc., etc. 6 Enamelled Baths Wolf Motor Cycle-234 H.F

with new tyres and tub: and new magneto 1 Rickshaw

Typewriters : Terms: Cash on delivery. LAMMERT BROS.

Auctioneers. Auction on

Saturday, the 10th Dec., 1921 commencing at 11 a.m. at their bales Rooms, Duddell'

A Large Selection of Toys comprising: Teasets, Footballs Dolls and various other Toys

case X'mas Crackers (in lots to suit purchasers)

Very Fine Model Chinese Junk On view from Friday the 9th

Terms:-Cash on delivery. LAMMERT BROS. Auctioneers.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "WEST PROSPECT" From SAN FRANCISCO & LOS ANGELES.

THE Steamship "WEST PROSPECT"

having arrived from San Fran cisco and Los Angeles via selection has been made. ports, on December 5th, 1921. consignees are hereby noti-General Managers, fied that their cargo is being! landed at their risk into the Godowns at Holts Whar. Kowloon, and stored at consignees'

Consignees of cargo must produce an Import permit signed by the Superintendent of Imports All broken, chafed and damaged cargo is to be left in the Godowns, where it will be examined at 10 a.m. on Dec. 12th 1921, by the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Carmichael & Clarke. All claims must be presented within 10 days of the steamer's

arrival here, after which they cannot be recognized. No claims will be recognised after the goods have left the Godowns, and cargo undelivered after Dec. 12th, 1921, will be sub-

ject to rent. No Fire Insurance whatever

send in their Bills of Lading in exchange for Delivery Orders immediately.

STRUTHERS & DIXON, INC., Agents for U.S. Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation. Hongkong, 5 h December, 1921.

NOTICE.

Shareholders in THE STEAM undersigned as soon as possible. H. N. BEAUREPAIRE.

> Secretary. Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd.

A FREE LECTURE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

John C. Lathrop, C S.B., of Brookline, Mass. Member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church,

The First Church of Christ. Scientist, Boston, Mase. will be delivered in the City Hall (Chamber of Commerce Room).

Thursday, December 8th., at 5.30 p.m. attend.

NATIONAL LOANS.

Bondholders are bereby noti fied that the Fourth Drawing of the Hoogkong Manager, with the 3rd. Year Loan (\$2,750,000 delivery orders eigned by bim, and the Eighth Drawing of the which, when presented to the 7th. Year Issue of Short Term godown keeper in Praya East, Bonds (\$4,300,000) will be held, as would entitle the bearers to obtain announced by the Loan Bureau of the Ministry of Finance, in on the delivery. Recently, in con-Peking on 1-t and 10th December respectively and that payment of frey has reason to believe that drawn bonds will be made on 31st, the first defendant had delivered December.

Bonds of the 1st Year 6% Loan (converted issue) which the number stated in delivers were drawn on 10th. November orders, and therefore arranged with THE Undersigned have received last, amounting to \$2,719,611.41 instructions to sell by Public will be redeemed on 1st. Dreemher next, and the interest coupon his godown. On the morning of

> Bond Issue and the 7th Year acetylene, which had been removed December next will be paid on did not speak to the coolies but 31st December.

F. A. AGLEN. Inspector General of Customs. Peking, 21st November, 1921.

Theatre Royal on Thursday night ordered one cylinder. On the 16th. by Mr. Harry Ore, V. Van Onderwijzer and Mrs. Bowes Smith the second accused placed an order promises to be a real musical feast and will doubtless meet the complainants' firm, Mr with the cordial support deserved Gerffrey a-ked him if he wanted last concert, given in St. Andrew's lunt require acetylene because he Hall, a big andience was en- still had a large quantity in his Company's service. thusiastic in its appreciation. As shop. The second defendant had will be seen by the programme had dealings with the Far Eastern given below a varied and popular Oxygen and Acetylene Company

Onderwijzer.

Mr. Harry Ore.

3. (a) Unmindful of the Roses. from the "Sorrow Songs" Bind Ploughman (Coningaby Clarke). (c) Down in the Forest" (Landon Ronald), (d) "Love, I have won (Landon Ronald), Mr. Onderwijzer.

so.), Mrs. Bowes-Smith.

Ond-rwijzer.

6. (a) The Sea (Palmgren), (b) busse). (c) Vals= "Fause"

7. Pensee d'Automne (Massones). (b). Jorge Liefde (Mann)_ (a) Noordzee (Hullebro k). Mr. Ond rwiper.

l'Opera Paillasse (Leonc-vel'o). Mrs. Bow somula quite willing to withd aw and Mr. Onderwijzer.

HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LTD. THEFT OF ACETYLENE.

Portuguese Clerk Imprisoned.

Before Mr J. R. Wood at the LAUNDRY COMPANY LIMIT- Manistracy Jesterday Daniel Jessu, ED entitled to an afforment of a clerk employed by the Far Eastern shares in The Hongkong Hotel Oxygen and Acetylene Company, Company Limited are requested was charged with the their of to forward their claims to the \$34 59, the money of the Company, and with stealing five cylinders of exygen from 122, Praya Esst, on November 17th, Ab Wong, the proprietor of an engineering shop in Whitfield, Causeway Bay, was charged with receiving stolen

erlinders. Mr M. H. Turner prosecuted un behalf of the Ear Eastern Oxygen and Accipione Company. Ah. Wong was represented by A. H.

Crow. The first accused pleaded guilty

to the second charge. Outlining the case, Mr. Turner said that the Far Eastern Oxygen and Acetylene Company supplied. among other things, evlinders of oxygen and acetylene which were used for welding purposes by ship ping and engineering companies. The company had a factory at All are cordially invited to Kennedy Town in which the cylinders were made and filled with oxygen or acetylene, and a godown at 122, Praya East. Customers who required oxygen or acetylene would be supplied by Mr. Geoffrey, the number of cylinders endorsed cylinders of exygen and acetylene either without delivery orders issued by the office or in excess of Inspector Blackman to have a detective placed on watch outside

\$1.631,766.84 will be paid on same the 17th. a Chinese detective on watch saw two coolies arrive with a The interest coupon on the 3rd truck upon which were placed five Year Loan. 7th Year Short Term | cylinders, two oloxygen and three of Long Term Bonds due on Sist from the gudown. The detective followed them. The truck stopped outside defendant's engineering shop finto which the coolies Inspectorate General of Customs, shouldered two of the cylinders. On being questioned by the detective, the coolies said they had orders from a Portuguese clerk to wheel the truck. A woman in the

THURSDAY'S CONCERT. Shop was also questioned by the police officer and she denied that she had bought the oxygen. De-An Attractive Programme. fendant then came downstairs and The concert to be given in the on being asked said he had only for a cylinder of exygen with

previously in exygen. Mr. Turner's outline was borne 1. Prolog 'dell' Opers I Ps- out by M. Henri Edmond Jean gliacci (Leoncavallo). Mr. Jetffrey, who said that is welding it was necesiary to have both 2. (1) Gavotte (Beethoven- oxygen and acetylene on the 16th Auer), (b) Ballade (Chopin). He informed the police that he neard five cylinders of oxygen would be delivered to defen dent the following morning. (Coleridge-Taylor). (1) "The On the morning of the 17th. ult. ic company with Sergeant Kelly. he visited Ah Wong's shop and there found two of the cylinders in the workshop and the remainder lying outside the door. Witness aw the first delendant standing at the door of 122. Praya East, which . (a) Hindou Song (Bemberg) be passed on his way to Ab Wong's and (b) "Snowflakes (Mallin- aurk hop, but when he returned to his office defendant was not in the 5. (a) Air dans l'Opera La godown and he did not see him Traviata (Verdi) (b) Chanson lagain until he was arrested. No dn toreador dans l'Operatione had authority to remove "Carmen" (Bizet), Mr. leylinders from the godown without |

delivery orders. "Mr Clew, to witness: In your The "now is dancing (De. jeridenc- you gravely misstated a fact and that is that mentioned to (Goomed-Listz), Mr. Harry he Inspector at the Station that he five cyluders of exygen and acetylene were going to Ab Wong's ship. You never stated that to the Inspector?

Wirnes-: I had not said it to the Court. I as ditar five cylinders 8. Dande Neilds et Silvindire were having the guiliwo. Mr Tuener said bis client was

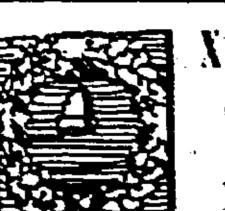
statement.

THEATRE ROYAL

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months. nothing against the accused.

through my bards before.

acthing against bim. guilty to stealing five cylinders.

in the cylinders was approximately arrived at the godown. The pro-

defendant's age was 54 he would excuse that they had gone to a deal with him leniently. He sent wrong destination. enced defendant to three months bard labour.

upon to give evidence again the d there was no evidence and -cond d. fendant by he prosecu usche ged defendent. tion. Examined by Mr. Turner is -terted" long ago. On November Daniel Jeeus was withdrawn. 15.h. he was requested by 'Al-Wing to supply him claudestinely with three cylinders of scettlenand one of oxygen at the price is Sis each, and not to mention the

One of the coolies to whom Mr. transaction to Mr. Geoffrey. The ult., continued Mr. Turner, when Turner referred deposed that he ruling price of each cylinder was was engaged by the first defendant. about \$22. He agreed. Defendant Dealing with the first defendant then told him that he would obtain in the second charge the Magis a delivery order for one cylinder trate asked Mr. Turner how long from the office and arranged with by such talented artists. At the se tylene. Delendant said he did the secused had been in the Far witness that the four cylinders be Eastern Oxygen and Acetylene delivered on the same morning when the purpose of the deli-Mr. Turner: Six or seven very order was executed. At 4 p.m. on the 16th, he received In reply to his Worship Inspector a delivery order for one cylinder Blackman said the police had of oxygen from Ah Wong. In pursuance of the arrangement, wit-

The Magistrate: He has been ness on the evening of the 16th. instructed two coolies to remove Inspector Blackman: We have five cylinders from the godown in the morning and gave them a pass' Addressing defendant, his Wor- so that they would escape inter--bip said: You have pleaded ference by the watchman of the godown. The godown was opened Defendant: Four, your Wor-daily by the watchman at 6 80 in the morning. On the morning of Mr. Turner said be accepted the the 17th, the five cylinders had alplea. The value of the contents ready been taken out before he

On being siked if he had any to witness's pocket. thing to say, defendant said: It Mr. Crew submitted to the witis not myself who is in it. The ness that his story was fabrication -cond defendant has a share, and that he ordered the cylinders He combined with me the to be taken to defendant's shop previous day when he saked because he wanted to take them me to supply him with five out of the godown. The witness evlinders of oxygen and scrtylene. | would go later to defendant and The Magistrate said that seeing take back the cylinders on the

ceeds of the transaction would go

Daniel Jesus denied that that was his intention. Daniel Jesus was then called His Worship, however, consider-

On the spolication of the suid his friendabin with Ah Woos introceution, the first charge against "

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Hongkong, 6th December, 1921.

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SHIPPING LAWS.

YANGTZE VESSEL FOR REPAIR. The Ichang-Chungking s. Robert Dollar It has arrived at ber of Commerce, and the other Shanghai for repairs. NEW YANGTZE LINE

promoted by Wang Chin-chwan Shanghai to Wanchow; from and others for the establishment | Shanghai to Wanchow (including of a line between Shanghai and Hsinhwa); from Shanghai to Wanchow and another between Hankow; and from Shanghai to Shanghai and the Yangtze ports Ichang, and thence to Chungking. Mrs. A. F. Osmund, 6 knitted dress cakes; Mrs. M. P. da Luz, cake.

Bureau in Shanghai. One half of the capital of the company will be raised by the Wanchow Chamhalf, it is hoped, by the public. The boats of the company will ply along The China Steamship Company | the following routes:-From

CONSIGNEES:

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

THE BEN LINE STEAMERS LIMITED.

From ANTWERP, MIDDLESBEO, LONDON and STRAITS. The Steamship "BENVENUE"

Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being The Steamship landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from wharves delivery may obtained.

No Claims will be admitted downs, and all Goods remaining wharves delivery may be obtainundelivered after the 9th inst., ed.

will be subject to rent. must be presented to the Under-

or they will not be recognised._ All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the 1931, at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Godowns, where they will be Goddard & Douglas. examined on the 9th inst, at 10

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be counter-

aigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON

& CO. LTD. Agents. Hongkong, 2nd Nov., 1921.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE BEN LINE STEAMERS. LIMITED.

The Steamship "BENDORAN"

From ANTWERP. MIDDLESBRO', LONDON & STRAIT3.

Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the harsidous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd. whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining un delivered after the 12th inst., wil be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 19th inst., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Go-

downs, where they will be examin ed on the 12th inst., at 10 a.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD., Agents.

SUNDAY'S BAZAAR AND FETE.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul begs to return thanks for the following gifts received within the last few days:-Mr. Tong Yat Chun. biscuits; Messrs. M. Y. San, candies; Unknown sender, one set has established its Preparation baby's knitted dress; St. Mary's School, Kowloon, 50 articles of needlework; Mother Superior, St. Paul's Institution, 33 articles of needlework; Madame Flint, embroideries &c.; Mons Mandin, varilarge doll house; Mrs. J. F. Eta

CONSIGNEES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

SCHEEPVAART-MAATSCHAPPLI

HOLLAND-OOST AZIE LIJN.

"OLDEKERK"

are notified that all goods are the being landed at their risk into the hazardous and or extra-hazardous godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co. after the Goods have left the Go- Ltd., whence and or from the

All claims against the steamer Dec 1921 will be subject to rent. signed on or before the 16th inst., packages are to be left in the

within ton days after arrival of

will be countersigned

Valuation forms can be obtained from the undersigned. No Fire Insurance will be

any case whatever. Bills of Lading will be counter- The Steamship signed by

General Agents. Hongkong, 5th Dec., 1921.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE STEAMSHIP

From TRIESTE, VENICE, LOMBO, PENANG &

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary

must be presented to the Under-Hougkong, 5:hDecember, 1921. signed on or before the 16th inst. or they will not be recognized.

ed Goods are to be left in the Goined on the 6th inst. at 10 a.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected..

signed by

VERBENIODE NEDERLANDSCHE (United Netherlands Navigation Company)

(ROLLAND-EAST ASIA LINE)

From EUROPE.

having arrived from the above ports, consignees of cargo by her

examined on the 12th. Dec.

Claims against the steamer must be presented in writing steamer, otherwise they will not

A General Average having been declared on this ship, consiguees are required to sign an Average Agreement and pay a deposit of 1, of the value of the goods before Bills of Lading

PORT-SAID.-ADEN, CO-SINGAPORE.

landed at their risk into the Go- rent downs of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Com- left in the Godowns for examin- child of 8 years old or more. may be obtained.

be given before 30th Nov.

and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 6th inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damagdowns, where they will be exam-

Bills of Lading will be counter-

DODWELL & CO., LTD., Acent. Hongkong, 1st, December 1931.

Goods not cleared by the 13th. All broken, chafed and damaged godowns, where they will be

be recognised.

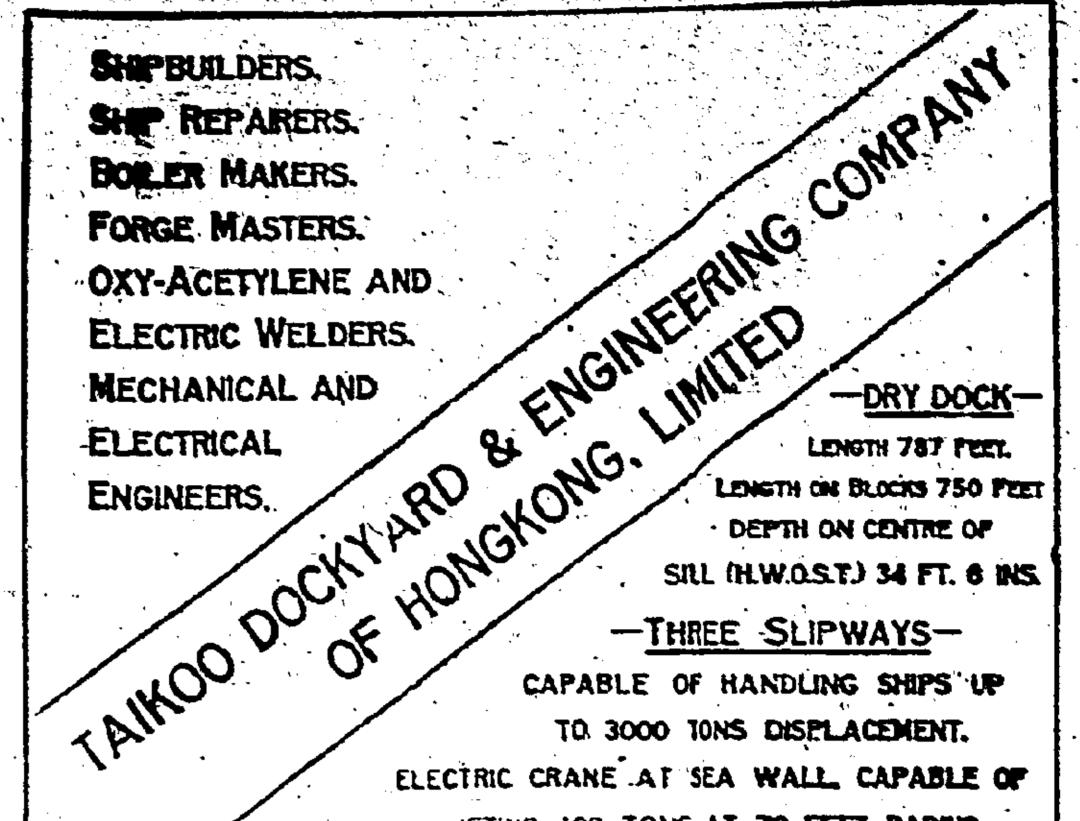
effected by the undersigned in

"NIPPON"

Consignees of Cargo are hereby

All claims against the steamer

es; Messrs. Pohomuli Bros., sil. jewel case; Messra. Kelly & Walsh, games & toys; Messrs. Brewer Co., candies; King Edward Hotel, cakes and sandwiches; Hongkong Hotel, 173. ous gifts; Mrs. J. J. dos Remedios, cakes and sandwiches; Mrs. Boulger, fancy articles; Miss Violet da Silva, 2 bead bags; Mrs. M. A. Tsan, 2 fancy hand bags; The Sun Gutierrez and the Misses Gutierrez, Co., tricycle; Mrs. F. V. Van den lacquer trays and silver penholders; Berg. cakes; Mrs. G. M. Cutierrez,



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THE PLANT TOT OVER "ANS, PENHANT."

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

From EUROPE & STRAITS.

"MATSUMOTO" JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN. baying arrived from the above trition, the food is either deficient ports, Consignees of Cargo are in quality or quantity, or the hereby informed that their Goods digestive organs are not doing are being landed and placed at their work properly. When the their risk in the Hongkong and stomach or bowels are at fault all Kowloon Wharf and Godown that is necessary, usually, to set Company's Godowns at Kowloon, matters right is the administrawhere each consignment will be tion of Baby's Own Tablets, the sorted out mark by mark and pleasant tasting Canadian remedy

> as the Goods are landed. on unless instructions are given because they are guaranteed, to the contrary before Noon To- under a Government Analyst's

Goods not cleared by the 12th. particle of opiate, narcotic, informed that all Goods are being Dec., 1921, will be subject to other injurious drug and to be Damaged packages must be the youngest infant as to the

pany, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence, ation by the Consignees' and the Baby's Own Tablets are just and or from the wharves delivery Co's representatives at an ap- the right remedy for infantile pointed hour on Tuesday and Fri- constipation, colic, indigestion, day. All claims must be presented simple fever, teething troubles within ten days of the steamer's and worms. They bring natural, arrival here, after which date restful health-promoting sleep, No claims will be admitted after they cannot be recognized. No frestore appetite and make the the Goods have left the Godowns, claims will be admitted after the

goods have left the Godowns. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Agents. Hongkong, 5th Dec., 1921.

GOLF.

The Jasper Clark Cup. The 'Jasper Clark Cup' competition was played for over Fauling gull course last Sunday, the conditions being 36 holes, medal play from scratch. The following were

the scores returned: A. B. Stewart 77 & 81-158 P. Melville Smith 78 & 88-161 Mir. H. G. Bagnall 80 & 87-167 H. R. Buckland... 92, & 91-173 The Cup was won last year by

Major H. G. Bagnall with 169 and

the runner up was Mr. T. W. H:ll

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STEALING CHEQUES.

Houseboy Convicted.

"Had it not been for your past good character I would have given you six months on each count' said Mr. R. E. Lindsell yeslerday when he convicted a bouseboy employed by Mr. Albert M. Jucobs. Manager of Davis and Company.

Defendant was charged with the (Winner) | theft of three blank cheques and with attempting to obtain \$193 from the International Banking Corporation by false pretences. was alleged that defendant stole the cheques from Mr. Jacobs drawer, during the latter's absence. and lorged Mr. Jacoba' name on one of them which he presented at of testimonials in favour of his the International Banking Cor- elient.

poration. It was dishonoured. hitherto unblemished character. I consecutively.

BLOSSER

CHINESE SEAMEN'S WAGES.

Union Wants Open Dealing.

The application of the Chinese Seamen's Union for a 30 per cent increase of wages for members whose mouthly salaries exceed \$30 and 40 per cent for those who carn less than that amount has so far been favoured with but one reply. This is from the Hongkong, Canton and Macso Steamboat Company and contains nothing but a promise

of earnest attention. We were yesterday informed by the Union that they intend to organise a mass meeting to take place shortly in the City Hall, subject to the permission of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs and his acceptance of an invitation to be present. The object of the meeting is to enable he Union to disclose to the public he reasons for the application and also to ascertain the views of the shipping companies concerned with regard to the wages of Chinese craws in their employ. To this end an invitation will be extended to all shipping companies. The meeting, if held, is considered by the Union to be a better means of settling the wage question than such negotiations and arbitration as are peculiar to matters of this

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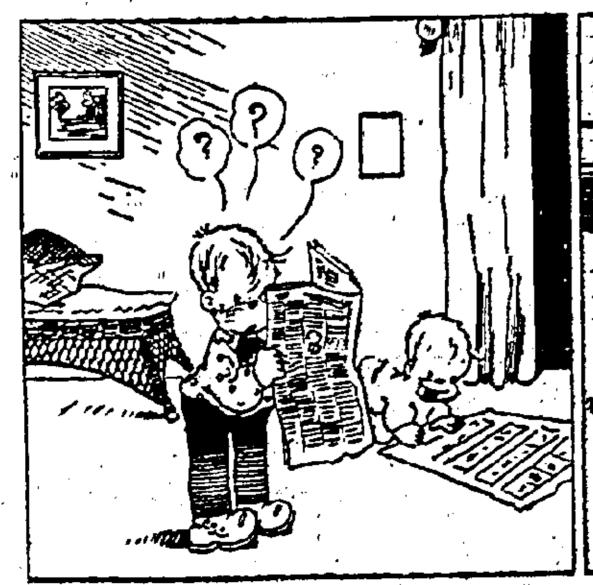
"We want to deal with the shipping companies in good faith," declared the Chairman of the Chinese Seamen's Union, "and it is for this reason that we have planned this meeting. If held. the meeting will enable both employers and employed to understand each other better. This means is better appreciated by members than negotiations conducted by a few representatives from which their presence will be precluded. We keep no secret from our employers: in fact wa like them, and incidentally we want the general public to know exactly how we stand as regards our monthly incomes and expenditure. We want to be frank and open with our employers and to be rational in our demands, and we hope our employers willbe likewise."

Mr. d'Almada produceda s number

His Worship sentenced defen-Mr. F. X. d'Almada, defending, | dant to four weeks' hard labour on pleaded guilty, and asked for the first charge two months on the lenieuce in view of defendant's second, the sentences to run

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Marriage.

SASSOON-COLETTI.-On the 20th. October 1921 in London, Hector William Sarsoon, late Grenadier Guards (S.R.), younger son of Sir Edward Sassoon, Bart., and Lady Sassoon to Baroness Giulia ing the functions of self-govern- Chinese; diphtheria, one case, Coletti, daughter of Count Folchi Vici of Rome.

SCOTT-TILLING.-At St. John's Cathedral on December 3rd, Mr. J. H. Scott, of Hongkong, to Miss Dorothy Tilling, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Tilling, of Bromley, Kent.

Death.

JORDAN.-At London, on December 4th., Dr. Gregory Paul Jordan. By cable.

The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1921.

ANGLO-FRENCH FOOLISHNESS.

It is becoming more and more clear as time goes on that realisation that the question is Enrope is suffering from the fact that it has the wrong not ripe for settlement. But Ladies:—1 Mrs. May (166), 2 Mrs. men at the head of things. We said as much vesterday to submit the issue to the (162), Lowest Score: Miss in commenting on the riots in Vienna, but how much more Washington Conference? can that be said to-day in the light of the disconcerting news which has come to hand by cable speaking of deep and serious differences between France and England. The Japan's Trade Balance. very existence of the Entente is threatened, apparently. and the press of both countries is indulging in curt criticism dustrialists have been greatly conand grave questionings. And what for? One might well cerned during this year and last at Mr. F.H. Dillon. ask that question because between the two peoples there is set in. The country's volume of trade went up with a jump in the it," was the reply given to a Symbol of Sacrifice" will be in mind at the time. On way, in handy as fine sounding am-They have but recently shared a common sacrifice and warperiod. The armistice brought Telegraph reporter at the Hong-screened. Stirring incidents in it was yonder in the Wee Free munition when it came to holdsorrow in a common cause; they are desirous of a common a slight set-back, as it did in kong Hotel and at the Dairy African life are depicted in this Kirk vestry that I first heard of ing my own in a literary showsorrow in a common cause; they are desirous of a common of a single set-back, as it did in a sold in the blessing of peace, prosperity and good government. And yet between the two countries there is growing there was a swelling volume of particulars of the falling conforms to best British standards. In the sublimest of Sunday night walking ower the standards. up friction and almost animosity, censures are being commerce. In the early part of through of the amalgamation of The story is both interesting and the sublime in the way of ex- Braids wi' a lass that I was trybandied about and the bond of sympathy and understand- 1920 this boom gave out, not only the two Companies, as reported exciting, giving the players quisite poetry. It was repre- ing my best to impress. Off hand, ing which has bound the peoples together for so long is in Japan but all over the world, in a morning contemporary. At excellent scope for fine acting sentative of all the human in the midst of a conversation being strained to breaking point. Diplomats and politicians are making a hopeless bungle of things: they prate threatened. A carastrophe was bad gone astray with the acheme shown for two nights only, and a veriasting monument to platonic reference to the "Divine Comedy" about friendship in one breath and talk of conflicting warded off, but the ill-effects are said they had heard absolutely as the great pageant requires not love. Dante's passion for thinking she'd nibble, at least, at interests in another. It is a tragedy over which the still very visible. The position nothing with tegard to the less than eight reels for full Beatrice was one of the most the Beatrice bit. But she must historian will have cause to lament because it is taking is particularly aggravated, too, matter. place at a time when so much might have been accomplished in Japan by the inflated scale of values. For the land of the Of g

Over the week-end we were reading the latest number general retrenchment appears to of the Reciere of Recierca in which Mr. Hamilton Fyfe, the be the chief remedy. well-known English writer, openly and in very plain language accused the Paris politicians of being the Great Disturbers Fireworks. of Europe. He said that to them could be traced most of the petty intrigues so harmful to the peaceful re-establishment are not alluding to the pyrotechnic Mr. Chow shou-son, the Unofficial displays with which our Chinese Chinese Legislative Councillor. parations and indemnities, the central nations of Europe friends are fond of celebrating The arrvice was performed by were being kept impoverished and restless. It was a most their New Year and other festi- Rev. H. Copley Moyle in the damaging indictment. And in the same issue there was vals, but to Mr. G. R. Sayer's presence of a very large condamaging indictment. And in the same issue there was vais, out to mr. C. D. Sayot an article by a French writer in which the Paris policy bat on Saturday for the Civil bat on Saturday for the Civil members of the Government Service C. C. against the R.G.A. Service akinner's smit.

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Service C. C. against the R.G.A. Service akinner's smit. view (both writers claimed to have knowledge of inmost leads of such migury and affairs) then it is made manifest that whereas the two wielders as Thornton, Bonnor, ing to the Home papers, has been peoples have nearly everything in common the two sets of Troit. Indeed, speaking without with us, is uninhabitated, or that diplomats have very widely strayed. They are approaching the book", we doubt whether even is what the Rev. J. Kirk In the morning a conference na' for married folk wi' a wheen to I ink that that criticism no problems from points of view fundamentally different—to say those heroes of the cricket-field Maconachie believes. In an will take place at the Chamber of bairns. One at a time, he said, long. holds water. It's too

which is the better or otherwise depends on the point of view. ever contributed such an overinteresting lecture on "The Solar Commerce on the Hongkong-San was good enough for ony man reminiscent of the comedian's which is the better or otherwise depends on the point of view.

And yet one would fancy that men who had gone through the past seven or eight years together would have desired the same things. They all, surely, must see Europe in ruins in which it is essential to work as a whole rather for 9 of the 205) he actually water and extremes of tempers.

Attain north of the socretary of the sum of the sum of the socretary of the sum of the su than in parts. To help Europe back to normalcy, to heal subscribed 171, and was unbeaten the wounds of war, to feed starving peoples, to give the unemployed work, to stabilise exchanges, and generally to batsman scored no fewer than 90 now. The lecturer illustrated his property will be represented by the Hon. I mind later on that winter o' a lot about Dante after last the wounds of what we have all been the abode of life once, the Chamber, Mr. G. T. Edkins, trying to get the "Divine Comedy" but I know have been the abode of life once, the Chamber, Mr. G. T. Edkins, trying to get the "Divine Comedy" but I know have been the abode of life once, the Chamber, Mr. G. T. Edkins, trying to get the "Divine Comedy" but I know have been the abode of life once, the Comedy out of the Mechanics' to listen to. If I could write the now. The lecturer illustrated his property but I know have been the abode of life once, the Comedy out of the Mechanics' to listen to. If I could write the now. must appeal to them as the most essential task of the than a hundred from five (not structive lantern slides, and was of the Chamber), and Lieut. C. every Friday night and kept in his last sentence was the neatest getmoment. To help Europe is to help themselves in the five boundaries. During his partfollowed closely by a large and that until one longs for the nower to much them.

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France and Britain should come to a parting of the ways as if the bowling was poor stuff; CS. battering-rain. Saturday was Company, Mr. George Hogg, of Dante for a time dropped out you please accept the thanks of the International Banking Corporation and Mr. International Banking Corporation less effective to preserve some semblance of balance, it will Sayer could do anything with it, ing cricket, but those present poration and Mr. Johnstone, of I didna come across him in able to tell Boccaccio from

NOTES & COMMENTS.

The Philippines.

The text of the Wood-Cameron investigation report has now been issued, and the gist of the recomfind that the people are not of enteric fever, organized economically or from the standpoint of national defence The Manager of the Pan Shun pine people, misfortune for the \$2,730 on the 3rd, instant. American people, a distinct step without giving the Filipinos the best chance possible to have an orderly, and per-that leave of absence to United manently stable Government Kingdom, has been granted to We recommend that the present Major R.P. Culver, 2: Wilts. Regt, general status of the islands con- and Bt.-Major G. F. E. Rapson, tinua until the people absorb and D.S.O., 2 Wilts, Regt. thoroughly master the powers already in their hands." This The Dairy Farm request their Mr. A. Oben, managing director increase in custom duties on equares pretty well with anticipal customers to return all small of the Sincere Co., has died as the condition that the increase conclusion than that the grant of the current month. independence at the present juncture would be premature. In shown that they are still sadly each of paratyphoid fever and disclusures in regard to the being of Chinese nationality. National Bankoperations revealed a sorry state of affairs, and it was less, that the independence issue the plans were being prepared at is still a very live one. Lord Home. This is not so, as the Northcliffe has lately been telling plans have been prepared locally the Filipinos that they are better by Messrs. Palmer and Turner, off as they are. The opinion of a but they have been sent Home Nacionalista Party has just

Japanese politicians and in-

BY DAY.

THERE IS NO EDUCATION LIKE DVERSITY.—Dismeli.

During the week-end there were mendations may be summed up two cases of diphtheria reported in the following extract:- We (one fatal) and one non-fatal case

to maintain an independent Gov. ping shop, of No. 1 Queen's ernment. We are convinced that Street, has reported to the police it would be betrayal of the Philip-that his shroff absconded with

draw from the Islands and ter- received in an assault by two criticized the Foreign Consulates ing further order. minate our relationship there men, who have since absconded. for protecting Chinese. To-day's Command Orders state

tions. Those who followed the empty milk bottles in their result of injuries sustained in a shall not be more than one inquiries pursued by General possession as they have run short motor accident while returning quarter of the present tariff, that at the sale of two lots of Crown

The Health Return figures for many directions the Filipinos the past week are as follow:have shown aptitude for exercis- plague, two cases, one fatal, ment prescribed by the Wilson Chinese: enteric fever, one case Administration; they have also Portuguese; and one fatal case deficient in many directions. The cerebro spinal fever both patients

In our reference the other day caable in either European fortunate for the islands that they to the delay in the erection of the American Universities. had a big uncle to come to their new A.P.C. building on the site of assistance. It is clear, neverthe- Bank Buildings we stated that

A very successful whist drive to-day :reaffirmed that independence is was held at the Catholic Men's Typhoon in about 139 deg. the first plank in its platform. Club last evening. There were Long. E. 14 deg. Lat. N. moving At the same time it shows a 153 players present. The follow- NW, ing were the prize-winners: Lammerton (137). Men:-1 Mr. Williams, (180), 2 Mr. Tapper (179), 3. Mr. Kent (173), 4. Mr. Rogers (172); Lowest score: Mr Mann (129). Mr. Pinches acted as M.C., and the prizes were presented by

John's Cathedral this afternoon of Mr. Chow Yat Kwong and Miss Rose Helena Lee, both members In speaking of "fireworks we The groom is the eldest son of

now. The lecturer illustrated his R. M. Dyer, Mr. J. Robertson, Library but Wull Greirson, way you man speaks I wouldna' address with a number of in. Mr. D. K. Blair (Secretary him that attended on the books call the King my cousin. You

five batamen being dismissed for had an abundance of excitement. the Shipping Board.

THE SHANGHAI EPIDEMIC.

Smallpox Still Raging.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, Dec. 6. amalipox. Fifty foreigners are at which should have been issued on present in the Isolation Hospital, his arrival will not appear, till hirty of whom have not been February, a delay of two months, vaccinated. Twenty deaths are in completing his preparations expected. There is considerable being inevitable. correspondence in the North Commander Li Fook Lum has authors; a page of puzzles; all China Daily News blaming hotels been ordered to remain in Shui- about Santa Claus, which will backward in the path of progress. A boiler maker was yesterday for not protecting the general chow with his force, and not to delight the children; a special public. The British Assessor, proceed farther, but to train the story for children, written and pational duty, were we to with- Hospital auffering from injuries Mr. Blackburn, has scathingly soldiers for the time being, pend- illustrated by hilda Cowbam;

OBITUARY.

Sincere Coy's Shanghai Manager.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Shanghai, Dec. 6.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLAR-SHIP.

Gift of Shanghai Rotary

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Shanghai, Dec. 6.

The Rotary Club has presented reconsidered. five bundred dollars for a Scholarship in the American School

TYPHOON WARNING

third party, however distinguish- for approval. It is the return of received by the American Coned, cannot, of course, be decisive the plans which is now awaited. sulate General, from the Manila length. Observatory at 11.20 a.m.

BRITISH CINEMA SKILL

Wonderful Picture, At Kowloon.

British cinema enterprise and thing to do wi the French ways for all the interest I could "We have heard nothing about Theatre this evening when The must have been Danton I had grand book to know about and came justice the usual gazette features beautiful things in all the ages. It either have been ower smart or a have been omitted. The enter- was just sublime. No Clarinda liar, maybe both, for she told me Of great interest to the tainment in consequence starts ever inspired her Sylvander more she hadna' been at the Royal the Rising Sun, as for other countries, European and Chinese com- at 9.15 p.m. sharp with the big nobly, and many more words to week before but she had heard it munities of the Colony was the picture itself. A matinee will be that effect. wedding which took place at St. given on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m.

AMERICAN MISSION.

Touring The Harbour

the Colony's key industries to- for all that. And, what's more Voltaire, I think it was, once said morrow, visits being paid to both forbye, he said so in his summing that Dante's reputation went on Docks (a launch will be witness- up, for Wattie was nothing if no' increasing because nobody ever

CHINESE NEWS.

Sun Yat-sen Expected at Kweilin.

Our Canton correspondent? writes: An official report from Kweilin states that Dr. Sun Yat-There have been two more sen is expected to arrive there deaths, among foreigners due to abortly. The necessary orders

Sun Yat-sen has been received demanding ten thousand cotton. This special number will be soldiers to resist the cold winter. December. The public will great-

Powers have agreed to the lng the paper. ciple, these conditions have been | realised \$8,850. accepted by the Ministry of Finance and that only the ques- BURMA ON A PAR WITH INDIA. .

may become serious.

HON: KONG TELEGRAPH

CHRISTMAS NUMBER

will be issued on . Saturday, 10th December.

Consisting of 24 illustrate! pages, with handsome coloured cover, it contains interesting Christmas stories by well-known and a wealth of other things An urgent telegram from Dr., typical of the Christmas Season.

jacke's and trousers to by sent given FREE with the Hongtong before the 20th, inst. for the Telegraph on Saturday, 10th A Peking telegram received by assist the management by to-day states:-The various demanding a copy when purchas-

Wood and Mr. Cameron Forbes of bottles and their next shipment from the funeral of Mr. Y. C. the Likin tax shall be abolished land at Shankiwan yesterday and that the amount derived afternoon. Shaukiwan lot No. from the increase shall be used 484, with an area of 4,700 square only for development of industries feet, was disposed of for \$4,540, and shall be controlled by the or \$1.840 more than the upset Inspector General of Marine Cus- price. Inland Lot. No. 2,358, the toms. It is said that, in prin-upset price of which was \$5,075.

> tion of control remains to be A Simia message says:-A Gazette Extraordinary has been The Chihli people are strongly issued announcing that Burma protesting against the opening shall be constituted a Governor's of Coing Ho-kow as a treaty Province, and that all the proport. It is feared that the matter visions of the Governments of India Act relating to the Gov-A Shanghai telegram received ernor's provinces shall apply to to-day states .- Wu Pui-foo on his Burma, with the modifications way back from Tientsin to that the minimum percentage of Hupeh had an interview with elected members of the Legisla-Tin Chung-yuk, tuchun of tive Council shall be 60 instead The telegram quoted below was Shantung. They privately dis- of 70, and that the total strength cussed military affairs at great of the Legislative Council shall

Between

By Robt. MacWhirter.

Our assistant minister was The last I saw o' you copy was

I mind fine once o' going to a George the Fourth Bridge and I seance at the Linkcumdoddie wouldne have bought it even Literary Society and hearing the then if I hadna' been anxious to minister's helper lecture on look big in the eyes of the lass Dante. He was a scholarly man, that served in the shop. The if quoting poetry from the pulpit next day being the Sabbath, I counted for onything. I'll be quite had a go at it between kirk times honest and admit that I but I may as well have been read-A picture that is a fine tribute to thought Dante had some- ing the Shorter Catechism backwas a fine show for all that!

> certainly a lad wi the gift just before I left Edinburgh when o' the gab and had a tear my landlady begged it off me. in his e'e like a travelling was flattered at the time, I mind, rat. I can see our President - but when I come to think of it, I Wattie Scott, the tailor through expect she gave it a permanent the week and an elder o' the kirk position on the parlour table, it. on Sunday and every third having a nice religious look, she

munity will be represented by the left in the comic line was Mark Joe for the losn of his "Divine American Consul (Mr. Gale), the Twain's Jumping Frog." But Comedy." Joe, he's almost bound

book form till years after and Sauterne, enjoyed a very pleasant that was in a bookery in and profitable hour last night?

ON THE WATERFRONT.

A Clever Bit of Navigation. A fine bit of navigation was carried out by Captain George W. terday afternoon when the vessel the central characters in travelling at quite a fair speed. It appears from the evidence, Generale de Chemin de fer et de

Nanking Arrives.

class and 689 steerage passengers, shoes. He eventually selected. The Societe d'Etudes et de Con. She carried a lot of cargo. The a pair and was told by struction was formerly known as the

to Keelung.

Far East. Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Currie who money in fact he might never have returning to San Francisco.

Golden State Passengers. ard Oil Co., Hongkong, and Miss ter it seemed that in the course "B" design by Messrs. Pearsons. Charman Phipps, Mr. F. L. Reed of the previous week he saw It is to the latter design that the of the same company, and Mr. R. Kang made frequent use of the first place has been awarded J. Weir of Davis Company Ltd. staircase which communicated The Consultating Engineers for and Mrs. Weir were passengers with a back door giving out the projects sent in by the combinby the Golden State. Passing on Stanley Street. It was through on the vessel are:—Mrs. a short cut for anyone atton were Sir Ernest Moir, Bart., Ruby Guertin and her daughter; desiring to go into Stanley of Forth renown, M. Clavier, Grand Cordon do l'Ordon de Double Mrs. Guertin is the wife of the Street from Queen's Road, and Gordon de l'Order de Double chief of the secret service in Man-witness thought that that was Drazon de Chine, who built the ila; Mr. J. E. Dye, chief manager Kang's reason for going in until existing bridge over the Yellow of the Manila branch of Messrs the regularity of his appearance River, and Mr. T. J. Bourn, C.B.E., Thomas Cook and Sons, who is aroused suspicion. Thinking, how- who for over 30 years has been going to Tientsin: Mrs. N. ever, that Kang might be a associted with Chinese Railways,

new Governor-General of the he followed Kang when beturned as the Ta Cheng Kung Ssu. Philippines, and her daughter up with the shoes and in

Golden State, who is, of course, ing at the staircase for Kang's with this new and important work still on board, is Mrs. Acton wife return. Witness went on to of Mr. R. D. Acton, attorney-describe how on the previous general at Singapore."

Japanese Shipbuilding.

Three new ships of 1,000 tons trick the latter practised on an-nd noward were built in Japan other boy from a hat maker's and upward were built in Japan during October, of a total tonnage of 5,750 tons. The figures show a decrease of three in numbers and 14,150 in tonnage as against launchings during the same month last year. During the first ten months of the present year 38 abips with 196,915 tons were! constructed in Japan. This indicates a big drop as compared with the same period of last year. The decrease is 46 in the number of vessels and 177, 645 in tonnage.

New N.Y.K. Vessel. The New N.Y.K. vessel, Hakone Maru, is due here on Thursday morning. She is carrying many leading Japanese on this, her first trip, including Prince Kitashirakawa, Pricess Shimazu and Marquis and Marchioness Tokugawa. The new vessel which is of 10,020 tons gross, has accommodation for 120 first-class, 56 second-class and 180 third-class rassengers. She is equipped with double reduction engines which are said to lessen the rolling and pitching of 3 vessels. She is expected to develop a spee of sixteen knots.

Cargo. The Golden State brought 12,630 | M packages, measuring 809 tons, of cargo to Hongkong. Most of this was canned goods and inclued 4,000 packages of milk, 3,000 packages of pearl barley, 800 packages of choride of lime, a deal of lubricating oil and asphalt. The vessel also brought 401 bars

Harbour Offences.

morning Lieutenant Conway strain the muscles of the eye. and Chamber music composi-Hake, R.N.R., imposed fines Either way is bad. When you tions; songs, and short pieces for

boats were fined \$10 each, with the alternative of 14 days imprisonment with hard labour, for Shall we deliver your VICTROLA before the vessel had been examined by a police officer yesterdsy.

AN ARTFUL DODGER.

And a Detective Porter.

An elusive crook, an amateur Yardley of the Golden State yes detective and a stupid foki were was ordered to proceed into interesting story related at the quarantine. The steamer had to Magistracy this morning, when move from A3 buoy and to turn Kang Chan-ki, said to be an exhar there would have been attend- employee of the Sun Company, ed with some risk. Captain was charged with the larceny of the Societe d'Etudes et de Construc-Yardley decided to back her down a pair of Chinese shoes from a tion, the Societa Belge de Chemin the harbour and did so, the vessel shop in Queen's Road Central. | do fer en Chine, and the Compagnie

particularly clover piece of work, about by a trick, which defendant companies the two latter are well is said to have practised on a known in China; for purpose of the number of shops. Yesterday, it Bridge the first-mentioned is the The China Mail steamer Nan- was said that he visited a shoe- active members, and the work of maker's shop on Queen's preparing the design and estimates pore, which she left on December Road Central, and carefully preparing the design and estimates and examined several pairs of was in its hands

was \$3.10. Defendant announced tion and is a subsidiary combination Korea Maru Passengers. | that he had brought less money between Messrs. S. Pearson and Son Travelling by the T. K. K. than that and he requested that a (Contracting Department) Limited, Korea Maru, which leaves to. small boy " might be sent along of London, the well-known Contracmorrow, are, amongst others :- with the pair of shoes to collect Mr. F. B. Marshall, of Messrs, the money to which the shop-Tait & Co., tea exporters, of Amoy keeper without suspicion, agreed, panie Belge de Chemine de fer et and Formosa, who is travelling The "small boy" was taken to d'Entreprises of Brussels (formerly the main entrance of the Chinese Miss E. I. Ward of Massa- Club in Queen's Road Central fer Secondaires) a well-known firm chusets, who attended the recent Here he was induced to part with in Railway Engineering. Press Conference at Honolulu the pair of shoes and Kang went and has since paid a visit to the up the staircase. But he was a long time in returning with the

> returned at all had it not been for, the watchfulness of a por er of the Club.

were passengers for Manila on Pottinger Street had him detain- It will be of interest to our Eng-

Defendant was sentenced to

GOLF.

Captain's Cup.

six weeks hard labour.

The following are the scores for the above Cup played over the Old Course, Fanling, during the last week-end.

| Mr. J. W. | } |
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| Franks 87 - 12 == 75 | } |
| Mr. H. Scott $87 - 12 = 75$ | Ţ |
| Mr. R Appel 85 - 10 == 78 | _ |
| Mr. A. B. | |
| Raworth 87 - 11 76 | |
| Ll. Col. J. R. | |
| Wyndbam 94 - 18 - 79 | |
| Mr. H. M. | |
| Ireland 85 - 8 77 | |
| Mr.R. Melville | |
| Smith 78 Scratch 78 | |
| Mr. J. M. Dod | |
| ington 93 - 15 78 | |
| Mr.C.C.Stark 90 - 11 = 79 | |
| Mr.J.D.Kin- | |
| naird 87 · 7 · 80 | |
| Mr. R. E. O. | |
| Bird 97 - 16 == 81 | |
| Major H. G. | |
| Bagnall 80 - 1 - 81 | |
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THE WRONG WAY TO READ.

of silver and 17 boxes of gold too far away to see clearly, the three piano, Concertos (Concerto) eye will be strained to make out in B minor the best known); the fine print. If you have to violin Concerto; Marche Slave; In the Marine Court this hold the print too close that will Overture 1812; many quartets amounting in all to \$65. cannot read any fine type held at piano and other instruments. The boatswain of a coolie boat proper distance—say 14 inches was charged with approaching from your eye, have your eyes yesterday within 30 yards of the Golden State, then being an increase of the permission of the Port Health Officer. He was fined \$5, the alternative being 7 days' imprisonment with hard labour.

Itom your eye, nave your eyes examined in the Hongkong Opticals of the Hongkong Opticals of Clark & Co., Successors to Clark & Co., Refracting and Manufacturing opticals, located in 53, Officer. He was fined \$5, the alternative being 7 days' imprisonment with hard labour.

Itom your eyes examined in the Hongkong Opticals of Clark & Co., Successors to Clark & Was working, he heard a work-man beneath his window singing and a little white on Hongkong Telectors of the satisfaction of using a pair of right fitting the second movement of his first on October 15.

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26th year, was born in Wellington, hai Sunday Times" in August.

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Impressive ceremonies were held in London when General Pershing placed a wreath, as America's mark of honour on the Cenotaph.



Miss Clyds Cotton, called America's leading dancer by Mlle. Pavlowa, is shown in a remarkable action pose, too dancing in her bare feet.



Benquet Igorotes in the Philippines. Burdens of 200 pounds under a broiling sun are quite common.



Lady Geddes, wife of the British ambassador, was the British hostess at Washington. Since her coming to the embassy in Washington, it is said, she has entertained more lavishly than any member of diplomatic society.



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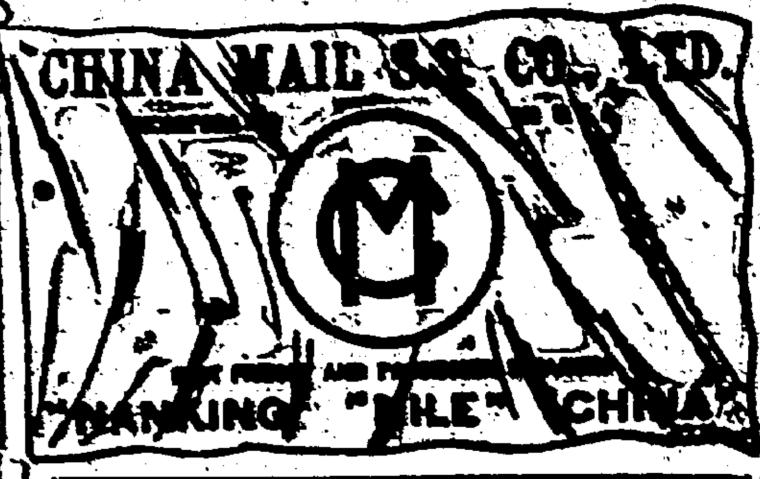
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COMMERCIAL NEWS.

CONDITIONS IN THE F.B.R. The Russian Echa is responsible for the report, based on private information, that the China Government is endeavouring to negotiate a abort term loan with British capitalists, on the security of the railways. From the same source comes news of intensive anarchist propaganda in the Chinese Eastern Railway zone. Committees are being organized and literature freely distributed at all the depot stations, a feature of propaganda among young people being the arrangement of weekly entertainments and dances.

JAPANESE TEXTILES. Retailers of Japanese textiles. especially in cities, feel indisposed to purchase, as the season for demand is gone and the cotton yarn market has been kept in suspense since the calamitous end of Mr. Have, notwithstanding that they should lay in some stocks at this time of the year in . preparation for the requirements of farmers after the barvest. Quotations are, accordingly, on the decline, presenting a fall of 6 to 7 per cent. as compared with last month and of 16 to 17 per cent, compared with the corresponding period of last year. It is thought, however, that there will be no big decrease in price unless cotton varn and silk yarn further decline. Many weavers are reported to have already set to work to weave summer cloth.

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Mr. S. Koizumi. (M. P. a. member of the Seiyukai Party, and Director General of the Dairen Sharestock and Merchandise Exchangel has been on a visit to Harbin. He says: The economic importance of Harbin is supported by its being the market for the fertile produce belts surrounding it. Next, the Japanese there are at one, demanding the establishment of an Exchange. Thirdly, the Chinese, too, are in support of the scheme and are hoping earnestly for an early materialization of the project. Then, the Chinese authorities, to are favourably inclined to the plan. Hitherto, there has been a trust and guaranty company at Fuchiatien (Chinese Quarter of Harbin) capitalized at Y 200,000. The growth of trade has been so rapid as to require a stronger organization to assume the guarantee of the execution of the business deals. Therefore, a new company, with a capital of Y.10,000,000, is to be founded on a joint share stock plan, incorporating the existing company. The Chinese have proposed to subscribe heavily to the new company's shares, and out of altogether 200,000 shares. only 10,000 shares are to be offered for public subscription.

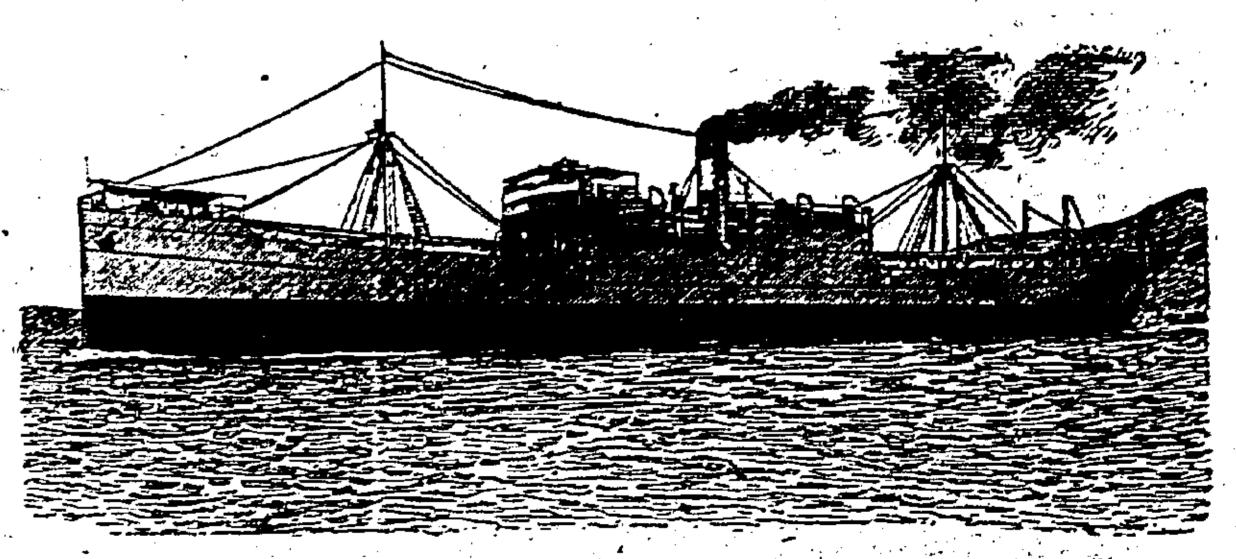
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'In spite of the freight rate differential of approximately 15 cents per jon in favour of gulf ports, the Pacific Steamship Company has booked over 30,000 bales of cotton for shipment to the Orient, and 16,630 of these have already been forwarded. Cotton bookings continue to be inade by the Admiral Line, as some shippers seem to rely on the speedier delivery via Seattle than by the gulf routes. GIANT LINERS.

The London correspondent of Considerable publicity has been given to a proposal made by prominent London shipping man between the United Kingdom and to be questioned whether it is at all concerned the suggestion is that knots, bringing Halifax, Nova pool; Vancouver 812 days, and or two-thirds of the time at presvoyaging may or may not be practicable some time in the future, but that it should be seriously suggested now shows that there is, somewhere, an extraordinary belief in the possibilities of Empire passenger traffic. So far as any ordinary observer can see, there could not have been a more unpropitious time for proposing such far-reaching schemes. HAS-BEENS.

The liners which maintained the prestige of the British Mercantile Marine in the late eighties and early nineties are one by one dropping out of the register books. First the Teutonic that went to her last berth at Rotterdan, and now the Magdalena has followed close on the beels of the Ophir. Of the latter little need besaid. She was a passenger carrier pure and simple, and there is no getting away from the fact that her construction was a mistake, for, however comfortable she may be, a ship which has a deadweight capacity of well under five thousand on a gross tonnage of seven thousand cannot possibly pay well except under the most unusual circumstances. The old Magdalena is a severe loss to lovers of the picturesque at sea, for she was one of the few remaining clipper-stemmed liners, and before they altered her funnels was one of the prettiest ships affoat. "The Don and the Magdalena, they can go there when they will." sings Kipling in his "Rolling down to Rio." And the title was by no means inapt. either, for with all their beauty the ships of the Magdalena class certainly could roll.-Shipping and Engineering. -JAPANESE SHIPPING.

Shipowners in Japan find it

necëssary to reduce expenses as much as possible and this is naturally causing many complications between them and their employees. While it is provided by shipping regulations that more than five high-class officers should be appointed for a this provision and are not filling up the personnel when it becomes depleted. Shipowners have carried out reduction in salaries. wages and allowance since the reactionary depression visited Japanese shipping circles, and it is a fact that the income of most seamen is below one-third of they received when boom was prevalent the shipping world of Japan. It is not rare that the crews of ships that departed from home during the period of prosperity find salaries and wages considerably reduced during their absonce, upon returning after two years' cruise. However, seamen are also partly responsible for having brought on the treatment of shipowners to themselves. Japaness seamen are gradually imbued with a very unsavery and unhealthy idea about their rights and claims. It is a case in point that the crew of the Brazil Maru of the Kokusai Kisen Kaisha. while the ship was at anchor in Singapore quite recently, demanded of the company through the captain of the ship a raise in their wages and forced their employers to replace them with Chinese sailors, who in turn were replaced by negroes and subsequently by Arabs, which entailed a considerable loss to the

company. Various disputes and

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THE WASHINGTON CONFERENCE.

Washington, Dec. 5.

A deputation from the Far Eastern Republic has arrived in 50 order to request the powers to insist on the immediate withdrawal of the Japanese from Siberia. The delegates say that the other objects are to open trade relations with foreign countries and to secure recognition of the Chita administration.

THE CONSORTIUM AND CHINA.

Washington, Dec. 5.

The American group of the Chinese Consortium disavows any intention of monopolising Chinese enterprise. It says the object is not primarily profit, but to co-operate with and support policies benefiting China. The Consortium refused to consider any loans except the requirements of the federal and provincial governments for construction purposes.

THE RUSSIAN FAMINE.

London, Dec. 5.

M. Krassin, in a speech at Oxford, said the number of Russians [] affected by famine was 37,000,000, of whom 21,000,000, including Da 8.000,000 children were facing starvation. M. Krassin attributed [1]. the famine on the Volga to military invasions financed by the De Entente, followed by years of drought. Relief ought to be render- Or ed by an international loan, which Russia was unable to organise owing to the Entente withholding recognition of the Soviet.

THE ARBUCKLE TRIAL:

San Francisco, Dec. 5.

It is understood that the final ballot of the jury in the Arbuckle case showed ten jurymen in favour of acquittal.

AUSTRIANS IN THE BURGENLAND.

Vienna, Dec. 5. Autric's military occupation of the Burgenland is completed.

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The anticyclone has weakened Humility 54 considerably and moved eastward. It is now central to the East of

Moderate monsoon may be expected along the S.E. coast of China, and over the China Sea.

The Guam typhoon is curving north-eastward. At 6 a.m. this morning it was in about latitude 15' N. and longitude 143' E. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24

hours ending at 10 a.m. to day, 0.04 inches. Total since January 1st. 97.20 inches, against an average of 82.16 inches.

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